

Tonight and Saturday unsettled; probably showers. Cooler Saturday.

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## 73 MEET DEATH IN SCHOOLHOUSE FIRE

### FUND FOR GLASS PLANT ADDITION BELOW SET QUOTA

Waner Urges Citizens Come to Aid of Prospective Industry Here.

ALL DRIVES SHORT  
Waner Reports Interest Not Sufficient in Drive for Funds.

According to first reports from the committees appointed by the Chamber of Commerce to solicit funds to buy additional land for the industrial site they are falling short of the goal and a second drive will be necessary if contributions are not forthcoming more freely than at first. None of the committees had raised their quota up to noon today and some have covered a big part of their territory. Joe Cole and M. C. Taylor, the committee in the 100 block on South side of West Main have had fair responses so far and are not far from their quota. Some committees on the part of some of the citizens and while some realize the value and necessity of giving liberally and are so doing, others are lagging behind and not giving what they should.

Ralph Waner, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, stated: "The new glass factory will be ready to start construction by June 1, and it is imperative that we raise the money to buy this land at an early date. The company will not begin construction until the title of the factory site is forthcoming. There is not a man that makes Ada his home who will not be benefited by this factory coming. It means more work, more business and a growth of the city. A contribution to buy land to accommodate a factory is not a gift but an investment. If you expect to glean any of the profits of business you must invest."

**Must Be Raised**  
"The money must be raised. It is not probable that the chamber of commerce will take the responsibility of buying on credit, since the officers of this organization have been continually criticized the past two or three years for getting in debt from time to time when it was necessary to make expenditures and some of the citizens would not contribute their part. It is time to quit plunging the Chamber of Commerce into debt and if the citizens of the city are not interested enough in the welfare of Ada to get behind with a little money occasionally and help keep the work going it is high time for the Chamber of Commerce to quit putting on a stiff front and let the hall hit as it may."

"Now is a good time for every man in Ada to show his appreciation of being a citizen of this good city. With the glass factory in reach the possibility of development of the asphalt mines, the compress getting ready for operation next fall, the prospect of a large attendance at the College and additional production in all the local manufacturing plants make it appear that business will be humming within the near future and citizens should appreciate this fact and help keep the home fires burning. Don't depend too much upon the other fellow; he may be depending upon you."

"If you have not been asked to contribute you can do your part by mailing a contribution to the Chamber of Commerce. All are expected to give and every contribution will be a big help in raising the \$3,000 needed. Do it now."

### Higginbotham Case is Again Slacked in Judge Dispute

(By the Associated Press)  
CROSS CITY, Fla., May 18.—The trial of Walter Higginbotham, charged with first degree murder growing out of the death of Martin Tabert of North Dakota in a convict labor camp, was halted again today when the defendant filed affidavits from two citizens accusing Judge Mallory Horne, presiding jurist, with being prejudiced against him. Judge Horne disqualified himself and recessed here until Gov. Hardee can name a new judge to come to Cross City to preside.

Why break up housekeeping by smashing the furniture?

### Indian Girl Gets Half of Valuable Estate of Father

MIAMI, Okla., May 18.—Maude Lee Mudd, an Indian girl of this city is entitled to half of the two million dollar estate of her aunt, Mrs. Lucy Beaver according to the decision of Judge Haynes in county court at Vinita yesterday, after a lengthy hearing regarding the validity of the marriage of Mrs. Beaver to a man by the name of Perry. The court held that the marriage to Perry was illegal on account of the fact that it was contracted in less than six months after Mrs. Beaver's divorce in Oklahoma. The marriage occurred in Kansas City. A brother of Mrs. Beaver is entitled to share with Miss Mudd in the estate, the court held.

### PALMER GRANTED JAIL CLEARANCE

Student Out of Jail on Own Recognizance Before Testimony in Case.

(By the Associated Press)  
CHICAGO, May 18.—Charles "Chuck" Palmer, star football player and senior of Northwestern university, after being held part of the time in a cell which he referred to as a dungeon, since 1 a. m. yesterday in connection with the state attorney's investigation of the disappearance of Leighton Mount who disappeared after a class rush in 1921, was freed on his own recognizance today by Chief Justice McKinley. Palmer was directed to return to court at 2 p. m. today.

Palmer was held in custody Thursday night in connection with the disappearance of Leighton Mount, freshman student, in September, 1921, despite denials by Palmer that he knew anything about the case.

Palmer was taken into custody after Mrs. Violet Bachman, a former acquaintance, had told assistant state's attorneys that Palmer told her shortly after Mount's disappearance that Mount was safe and that he knew where he was, and that he later told her he could not talk about the case.

**Admits He Knew Woman**  
Palmer, who had been held incommunicado at the order of the state's attorneys office, was confronted with Mrs. Bachman, Thursday, in the presence of assistant state attorneys when she repeated alleged conversations she had with him.

He flatly denied her statements, although he admitted that he knew Mrs. Bachman, then Miss Violet Lawson, in 1921. Also present at the questioning of Palmer and Mrs. Bachman was Roscoe Conkling Fitch, student, who a few days ago claimed to know "all about the Mount case," but said later he thought investigators were talking about Louis Aubere, student killed in an automobile accident a few weeks ago.

### Ada Shriners Turn to Henryetta With Pilgrimage Intent

Approximately 75 Shriners and their wives began the pilgrimage to Shrine ceremonial at Henryetta today when a special train from Madill took on the added representation of the Pontotoc county Shrine club.

Bedecked in the conspicuous red fez, Ada Shriners and their wives were prepared to lend their enthusiasm to the festivities, which were expected to reach record height at Henryetta.

Although no candidate for the Shrine ring was launched by Ada Shriners, their support is expected to be looked to with importance by aspiring candidates from this section of the state.

The special train left Ada at 8:45 this morning. Trains leave Henryetta at 6 p. m., 10:30 p. m. and 11 p. m. on which Ada Shriners and their wives may return.

### One Killed in Wreck

(By the Associated Press)  
CHICAGO, May 18.—One man was killed and numerous passengers thrown from their berths when two Rock Island passenger trains collided head on at Selden, Kansas, at 4:42 a. m. today, according to word received by road officials here. J. D. Ruberson, fireman of one of the trains was the man killed.

### Fair "Coppesses" Meet in Capitol



Left to right, Mrs. Mary A. Sullivan, New York city; Mrs. Mabel Rockwell, Chicago; Mrs. Mina C. Van Winkle, Washington, D. C.; Miss Mary Breen, Detroit; Mrs. Anna Whitmore, Memphis; Mrs. Mimi Rowland, Petersburg, Va.

Policewomen from all over the world have gathered in Washington, D. C., for their annual meeting. Mrs. Mina C. Van Winkle, president of the international Association of Policewomen, is presiding at the conference which is considering among other things the establishment of a training school for policewomen. It is believed that such a school will be started shortly. Practically every large city in the United States and Europe is represented.

### SCHOOLS FINISH WORK IN COUNTY

Floyd Maintains Practically all Rural Schools in County Closed This Week.

Practically all rural schools in Pontotoc county will have closed for the summer months in closing exercises today and tonight, according to the announcement of A. Floyd, county superintendent of schools.

In few instances where schools began late because of crop conditions, rural schools will continue for the next few weeks. In other instances where schools were forced to close because of insufficient funds and delayed assistance from the state, school will run in delayed schedule.

Where schools continued awaiting state funds, money from the coffers of the state treasury was timely, rural teachers being paid in full for their services during the time when funds were not available.

Many schools over the county closed with appropriate exercises today, others will close tonight, Floyd announced.

County Superintendent Floyd delivered an address to the eighth grade graduating class at Francis last night.

Floyd announced today that practically the entire teaching force for the county had been secured and preparations complete for starting the school term next fall.

### Glenwood Bathing Pool to be Open to Public Sunday

Bathing will begin at Glenwood park Sunday, according to an announcement of Homer Jones, fire chief. The fire department will have charge of the pool this season.

It is believed no difficulty will be experienced in getting plenty of water for the pool this season, as the new arrangement in the water department is delivering much more water than has been the case in the past.

Glenwood is one of the popular bathing pools of the community and the opening Sunday is expected to see a large attendance.

### Sir Knights, Attention!

Regular Conclave of Ada Commandery No. 16, K. T., this evening at 7:30 o'clock sharp. Business of importance. All Sir Knights cordially invited.

J. C. DEEVER, E. C.

If a skeleton had three feet would it be a bone yard?

### City Officials of State to Assemble On Gas Rate Case

(By the Associated Press)  
OKLAHOMA CITY, May 18.—A conference of all municipal officials of cities served by the Oklahoma Natural Gas Co., has been called to meet at the capitol next Thursday, when each will be given a voice in the proposed valuation of the company. It was announced today by Frank Carter, chairman of the state corporation commission. The valuation is sought as the basis for an appeal the commission plans to take from the decision Wednesday of the United States district court here in restraining the commission's gas rate order.

### STUDENTS REVEL IN POLICE RIOT

Pennsylvania Students Battle With Officers; Several Injured in Fight.

(By the Associated Press)  
PHILADELPHIA, May 18.—The vicinity of the University of Pennsylvania campus was the scene of wild rioting early today when undergraduates celebrating "Hey Day" defied the police orders to disperse and battled with the authorities. Several students were injured before the disturbances were quelled. Two thousand students were in the streets for the annual celebration, which marks the advancement of all undergraduates and seniors for the first time don cap and gown.

Hurling milk bottles and other missiles, while in snake dance formation, the revelers caused considerable property damage and terrified the residents of the campus vicinity. Trolley and motor traffic was completely disrupted when a riot call was sent in and a special detail of police arrived on the scene and fired into the air. The rioting continued, however, until a police lieutenant and a senior student induced the rioters to return to the campus and finally disperse. Six were arrested.

### AGREE ON REQUEST NOT TO CARRY BOOZE BY PLANE

(By the Associated Press)  
NEW YORK, May 18.—If the supreme court's edict prohibiting trans-Atlantic craft from carrying liquors within the three mile limit stands, the Cunard and Anchor lines will adhere strictly to the law. Sir Ashley Sparks, general agent for the United States announced today upon his return on the Aquitania from a conference with officials of the lines.

### TORNADO CAUSES DAMAGE IN TEXAS

Several Injured and Crops Damaged by Winds Near Beaumont.

BEAUMONT, Tex., May 18.—Considerable damage to merchants' stocks was caused here today by the heaviest rain in the history of the local weather bureau, 13.54 inches having fallen between 6 a. m. and 11:30 a. m. All the principal streets were covered to a depth of 16 inches. Traffic was virtually at a standstill and the streets filled with stranded automobiles. There was no report of injuries to any one. The storm was accompanied by a heavy wind and electrical disturbance.

BEAUMONT, Texas, May 18.—A terrific downpour of rain which started about 6 o'clock this morning, accompanied by a high wind, was still falling here at 9 o'clock this morning. The streets were flooded and at that hour 10.65 inches of rain had fallen. A heavy hail accompanied the storm.

HOUSTON, Tex., May 18.—Two persons were injured when a miniature tornado struck a small village near Conroe, 40 miles from here early today, according to reports received here. No report of any other disaster has been made to local newspapers.

The tornado, accompanied by a light rain struck at 3 o'clock and destroyed the home of S. Mador, a farmer and injuring Mrs. Mador and Mrs. M. L. Whiddon, a boarder.

### BRITISH STAGE STRONG PLAY FOR GOLF TROPHY

ST. ANDREWS, Eng., May 18.—The British amateur golf team holds a commanding lead in the Walker cup tournament as a result of the first day's matches. The Britishers won three of the four two ball foursomes at 36 holes. The Americans must win six of the eight twosomes to retain the trophy, which has never been out of American possession.

### HAGEN TO PLAY IN FINALS OF GOLF CLASSIC

(By the Associated Press)  
LEEDS, May 18.—Ealter Hagen, American, must meet H. C. Jolley of Fox Grove, England, in the final match of the professional tournament here. Hagen this afternoon defeated George Sarazen, American open champion 3 and 1 in the semi-finals. The other semi-final was won by Jolley from John McKenzie of Eckley 2 and 1.

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### Girl Injured in Auto Accident on Gravel Highway

The condition of Miss Bean, daughter of a farmer who lives east of the city lake, who was injured when run over by an automobile on the gravel road Wednesday night, is reported improved, according to information at the Faust hospital today.

The girl was run down by the car of John Payne, whose car lights had been impaired, Payne being unable to see the girl who was walking up the gravel road in the vicinity of the Homer school house.

The girl suffered a fractured right arm and a sprained ankle. Her injuries were attended at the Faust hospital and later she was removed to her home.

### KRUPP SENTENCE HELD BY COURTS

Confirmation of Penalty for Iron Works Leader is Held on Appeal.

(By the Associated Press)  
DUSSELDORF, May 18.—The sentences imposed by the recent court martial upon Dr. Krupp von Bohlen and other Krupp directors tried for instigating opposition to the French at the Krupp plant at the time of the shooting March 31, were confirmed today by the court of revision. An appeal will be taken to the court of cassation.

The court granted a retrial to Herr Mueller, a member of the factory council of the Krupp works who was convicted at the same time and sentenced to six months in jail. The demand for a retrial for Dr. Krupp von Bohlen was based on 11 counts, the principal one being the argument that the court at Worden which tried him was incompetent as the occupation of the Ruhr was illegal under the treaty of Versailles.

The death sentence on Albert Schlager, former Prussian officer, convicted of espionage and sabotage, charged by the French with being the leader of the "murder gang," was confirmed by the court of revision. This is the first death sentence pronounced since the occupation of the Ruhr. His counsel will try to bring his case before the court of cassation.

### Russians Demand Swift Action on Murder of Soviet

(By the Associated Press)  
MOSCOW, May 18.—The Russian soviet government has sent a note to the Swiss government holding that government responsible for the recent assassination of L. Vorovsky, soviet representative to the Lausanne conference, alleging negligence on the part of the Swiss officers.

The note asks for an investigation of the circumstances of the crime, dismissal of the employees on charges of negligence and a speedy trial for the assassin.

### LABOR STARTS SECOND DEBUT IN BANKING

(By the Associated Press)  
NEW YORK, May 18.—Labor's second venture in banking in New York city was dedicated today at the formal opening of the Federal Trust Co. on 34th street. The new institution was jointly organized by the central trades and labor council of this city and the state federation of labor, starting with an authorized capital of \$1,000,000 and according to its officers, 1,000,000 stockholders.

### AMERICAN AND BRITISH CAPTIVES FACE DEATH

(By the Associated Press)  
SHANGHAI, May 18.—American and British captives held by Shan Tung bandits, will be shot next Tuesday if the Chinese troops are not withdrawn, according to the "final ultimatum" of the bandits brought from the mountain stronghold of the bandits by a French captive who was released for that purpose.

### Bonar Law in Ill Health

(By the Associated Press)  
PARIS, May 18.—The health of Andrew Bonar Law, according to information derived from persons in close relation to the British premier, is so seriously affected that his retirement appears to be only a matter of weeks, even days.

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### MANY PERISH AS CROWDS MASS IN SCHOOL FLAMES

Tilting of Kerosene Lamp Throws School Building Into Fatal Trap.

### CROWDS IN PANIC

Joint Funeral Services for Heavy Toll of Flames in Carolina Town.

(By the Associated Press)  
CAMDEN, S. C., May 18.—The death toll in the Cleveland school house fire at 11:15 this morning stood at 73 with one person missing, according to a corrected list made public at that hour.

CAMDEN, S. C., May 18.—Seventy-one dead and two unaccounted for was the toll of a fire at a school house at Cleveland, South Carolina, last night as determined at 7 o'clock today. Cleveland is eight miles from here.

The collapse of a narrow wooden stairway leading to the second floor, where an entertainment in connection with the close of school was in progress, caused many of the deaths, a number of persons being crushed in the debris. Other cut off from escape in this way, were burned to death while still others jumped from the windows.

The fire was caused by the overturning of an oil lamp on the stage during the commencement exercises, which were being witnessed by a crowd that jammed the room. A panic followed.

The school building was a two story frame structure containing three rooms and was burned before outside aid could be summoned and nothing remained but to give aid to the injured. All available doctors were called from Camden and other nearby towns.

The death list reads like a roster of the families of the community. Family after family was entirely wiped out. Among the dead is George Dixon, county coroner and young daughter.

**Join Funeral Service.**  
Funeral services of the victims will be held jointly at 6 o'clock this evening near the building where they met death. Announcement of the plan was made by Mayor Garrison of Camden, who is in charge of the arrangements. The plan also is to bury all at the same time and in the same grave.

Chief of Police H. E. Whitaker said that persons for miles around were soon on the scene aiding in the relief work and that an undetermined number of injured had been brought to the Camden hospital. The confusion at the scene was such, he said, that it was impossible to get the exact detail of the disaster.

The narrow wooden stairway the only egress from the building, was quickly jammed by a struggling mass of humanity. Men, women and children fought to force their way out and many were crushed to death in the rush. On seeing this way out others ran to the windows and leaped out. Many of these sustained broken limbs and others seriously injured.

In the meantime without means of stamping out the blaze, others who had escaped from the building or were attracted to the scene could only stand by and see the destruction going on without being able to extend aid to the helpless ones. The more seriously injured were rushed to hospitals in nearby towns or taken to their homes. Five of the victims suffering from fractures were brought to the hospital here within a few minutes.

The first news of the disaster came to Camden from a telephone operator at Cleveland.

CAMDEN, S. C., May 23.—Nearly every family in the county was affected by the disaster. Many Camden people had gone to witness the play and some of these are numbered among the victims.

The Cleveland school is located in the center of a fertile section, but is sparsely populated. The road leading to the scene is little more than a one way path along the edge of the plowed ground. This morning hundreds of autos and buggies were passing to and from the scene of the tragedy.

Safety Forgotten in Panic.

In the panic which followed the explosion little effort, apparently, was made to fight the flames which quickly communicated to the dry timber of the little 40 foot frame school building. Mothers with children in their arms were trampled under foot. Young and old alike fought for a chance to reach the

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Matrimonial Adventures  
**Driftwood**  
BY  
**Courtney Ryley Cooper**  
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**COURTNEY RYLEY COOPER**  
Courtney Ryley Cooper, author, lecturer, circus man and expert on jungle animals, began life as a clown in a small circus. Mr. Cooper says that he ran away from home for the first time to join the Buffalo Bill Wild West show at the age of five, and that after that, regularly two or three times a year, the rest of the Cooper family spent most of its time dragging him home whenever a circus came to his town, Kansas City. When he was fifteen he made the final breakaway, becoming a clown at the age of sixteen. After about five years of this he began to mix the circus business with that of the newspaper and left the "white tops" to become a reporter for the Kansas City Star. He then successively was a special writer for the Star, the Chicago Tribune, the New York World and the Denver Post, when he again went back to the circus to become press agent of the Sells-Floto circus, and personal representative for Col. William F. Cody, "Buffalo Bill." Later still he became general manager of the Sells-Floto circus.  
Following this he turned his attention to telling the rest of the world what he had learned of the land of the sawdust ring and his stories and articles began to appear in all the large magazines of the United States.  
MARY STEWART CUTTING, JR.

It was six-fifteen o'clock. In the kitchen the last touches had been given a meal which was a bit more extravagant than was customary in the household of Mr. and Mrs. John Carrington. The silver candlesticks were on the dining room table instead of the usual glass ones; the service had been polished with extra care that morning. At the side of each of the two plates was a sprig of orange blossoms, which had arrived, special delivery, from California, that morning. Just beyond the French doors leading to the living room was a large basket of roses. It was thus every year.  
In the fireplace of the living room, the flames leaped in blue and green and violet colorings, the offshoots of driftwood, sending their colorations into the big, comfortable shadowy room and upon the woman who sat, just within the range of warmth, gazing into the flames. Mrs. John Carrington was waiting for her husband to come home to dinner in honor of their tenth anniversary.  
Not that there was any doubt as to the time or manner of his arrival. Mr. and Mrs. John Carrington had a reputation—they were known as the happiest married couple of all their set—a set, incidentally, which included every worth-while name in the directory. In five minutes, Mrs. Carrington knew, there would sound the throbbing of a familiar engine from down the street and the squeaking of brakebands which always announced the homecoming of the best husband in town. John never failed, just as he never failed to telephone her precisely at eleven o'clock each morning, just as he never failed to remember her birthday, or to send the biggest basket of roses which he could afford, on their anniversary. Just as he never failed to take her to the theater on Thursday night, to the Country Club for the Friday night dances, or—but the list is too long. John was the ideal husband. He never failed in anything.  
Nor did she. For Medaine Carrington also had her place in the matrimonial sun. Even her enemies admitted that she was a perfect wife. The serenity of the Carrington home was something which could not be denied. Everyone knew of it, everyone spoke of it. John Carrington and his wife never had even quarreled!  
Yet, as Mrs. Carrington watched the fire, it seemed that an expression, almost of utter fear, was in her eyes; the tapping of a shoe upon the soft rug gave evidence of nervousness, the quick knitting of her hands emphasized it. Now and then she turned her head toward the window—as though fearful of his coming, yet anxious that he be here. Then she would resume her former position, her eyes fringed with presentiment, gazing into the big fireplace where the driftwood crackled and the flames leaped and scurried in vibrant colorings. The minutes passed.  
A car stopped protestingly. A step sounded. The door opened. She turned with her usual smile.  
"How are you, Dearest?"  
"Same as usual, Sweetheart." He was hanging up his hat and overcoat. A moment more and he came behind her, to lay his hands on her shoulders for an instant. "How's my Sweetheart tonight?"  
"Happy as always, John." She turned and looked at him. "You were a dear to send me those roses. You never forget, John."  
He straightened proudly.  
"Why should I? Pretty fire."

"Yes—driftwood. I've been sitting here watching it, while I waited for you."  
For a moment he, too, looked into the blaze.  
"Beautiful. Driftwood, eh? Rather hard to get isn't it?"  
She smiled.  
"Yes—but then, this is our anniversary."  
"That's right. That's right. I suppose the dinner's waiting?"  
It was a useless question—asked merely for the sound of it. John knew that dinner was ready. It always was ready. The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Carrington was one in which nothing ever was awry. He went on:  
"Yes, of course, it's waiting. Just a moment, Sweetheart, until I tidy up a bit and I'll be with you. Only a moment—"  
He hurried up the stairs, while again the gaze of Medaine Carrington sought the flames, the gaze of one whose mind is peopled with anguish. But in a moment more, it had vanished. John was beside her, bowing in mock overpoliteness, and offering his arm in an extravagant invitation to the table.  
"Many congratulations today," he said as they seated themselves. "Four or five of the boys dropped in to tell me their troubles, and incidentally to say how much they envied us. Strange what a few little numbers will do, isn't it?"  
"Marvelous." Her self-possession had returned; with him before her she was again the usual Medaine Carrington. "This is the tenth year, without a quarrel."  
John laughed.  
"And our idea may spread. Bentley's married you know—just last week. Came into the office today. Told him all about our system, and how it's worked out. 'All that you need for happiness, Bent,' I said, 'is to learn to count to a hundred.' Then, I went on and told how it had worked with us, how we simply schooled ourselves into the habit of counting to a hundred before we said an unkind word, how, if one of us was nervous or irritable, it became the duty of the other to hold in, and the wonderful result that we've attained. After all, dearest, it's all very simple, isn't it?"  
"Extremely so." For just an instant her eyes clouded—only to brighten again. "I've never seen prettier roses than the ones you sent today, John."  
"That's what you're always good enough to say. By the way, this roast is done to a turn. I never tasted better."  
The meal progressed to a perfect conclusion—as it always did. Once more, they were before the driftwood flame. She took his hand in hers.  
"After all, it's remarkable that two persons could go through ten years of married life without a quarrel, isn't it, John?"  
He nodded. Then:  
"Yes—in a way. Then again, all that is necessary is common sense."  
"I suppose so. But haven't there been times when I have tried you terribly, when I've made you so angry that you couldn't hold your temper?"  
"No, not once, dearest. One simply couldn't lose his temper with you."  
"There—you mustn't say that. Besides, the main point, I suppose, is the fact that it's been accomplished. Ten years of married life, without even a quarrel!"  
She rose then, and moved slowly into the shadows. Again her hands knitted unconsciously. An expression, as of acute pain came into her eyes. John did not see—he was gazing into the flames and watching the colorings as they came and went.  
"Ten years without a quarrel! It's something to be proud of, something to boast about to your friends and—"  
"Yes, I suppose so."  
There was something in her tone which caused him to look up quickly, to glance toward her as though she had uttered a derision. The flickering of the fireplace caught her features, to display them as singularly pale, singularly drawn and indicative of suffering. He half rose—but she motioned him back.  
"Please sit there, John, I've—something to tell you."  
"Why, dearest? You seem so—"  
"Don't—please." She gripped the back of a chair as though for support. "I want to say it as quickly as possible. I'm going away, John." The voice was faint.  
He was silent for a moment. At last:  
"Well, if you feel that you should—of course, it would be better from a financial point if you waited a while, but if you really want to—"  
"I don't mean that way, John. I'm not coming back."  
"Not—?" He stared at her in non-plussed fashion for a long time before he rose. "Why Medaine—I don't—"  
"I didn't think you'd understand."  
"Not coming back? Why—"  
"Not coming back, John," she repeated, and this time the voice bore a certain note of harshness. "We're through!"  
"Medaine!"  
"Please!" She motioned him back. "I know what I'm doing. I'm perfectly clear and sane. I've simply put up with you as long as I can stand it, and now I'm going away. You've become unbearable to me, and when a thing like that happens, the best thing to do is to get away. So I'm going."  
She said it with more coolness than ever, and with an incisiveness that cut deep. There was the slightest twitching of John's fingers—then he turned away, and for a long moment was silent. At last, as though ensnared in mind, he moved again to his chair.  
"You're tired, sweetheart. Tired out—nervous. Don't worry. Everything'll be all right. If you'll just tell me what's wrong, we'll find a way to



Verner Alexanderson, kidnaped Schenectady boy, in the sheriff's office at Watertown, N. Y., with Mrs. H. D. Grinnell, at whose farm he was found, and his temporary canine playmate, Jack.

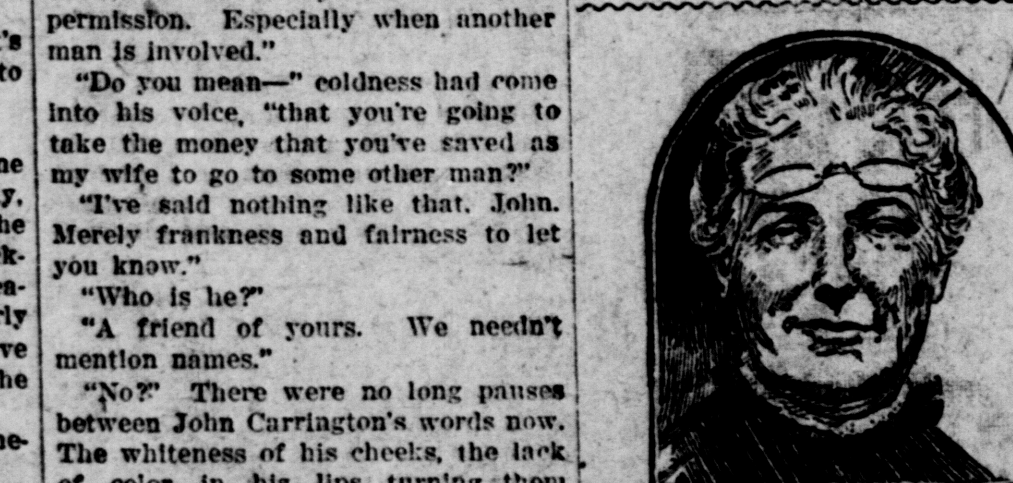
Police are still seeking the abductors of Verner Alexanderson of Schenectady, who was found on the farm of Mrs. H. D. Grinnell, near Theresa, N. Y. He had been left there by the kidnapers when the chase became too hot.

remedy it. Nothing in the world that can't be remedied, you know—"  
"Except this, I'm tired of you, John. Sick of you."  
"Sick? Tired?" He again faced her. "Sick of—?" Then for a long time he was silent again. "There, sweetheart, don't mind me. Of course you're tired. Ill, too. We'll talk it over in the morning."  
"There isn't going to be any morning, John. At least, not with you." She laughed. "Ten years is enough. I want someone else now."  
"You?" He was on his feet in an instant, his fingers stretching wide, his brow working convulsively. "You—Medaine?"  
"Exactly what I said."  
"A man?"  
"You don't suppose it would be anyone else?"  
"But Medaine—"  
"And I have your permission to go?" It seemed that there was a little sarcasm in her tone. "Of course, you know, I'd do nothing without your permission. I want to be frank with you, you know. You've supported me for ten years. You've given me everything in the world I could ask for, you've supplied me with all the money that anyone in my circumstances could wish for, and you've really made it possible for me to have the money to do what I wanted to do when the time came, and so I really should ask your permission. Especially when another man is involved."  
"Do you mean—?" coldness had come into his voice, "that you're going to take the money that you've saved as my wife to go to some other man?"  
"I've said nothing like that, John. Merely frankness and fairness to let you know."  
"Who is he?"  
"A friend of yours. We needn't mention names."  
"No?" There were no long pauses between John Carrington's words now. The whiteness of his cheeks, the lack of color in his lips, turning them ghastly blue in the light of the driftwood, the glazed yet flaming appearance of his eyes all gave evidence that temper had gone beyond control. "No? We needn't mention names. That's what you say, Mrs. John Carrington, but I've a different idea!"  
"Your privilege! But the information won't come from me."

**SWEDISH LABOR WANTS INTEREST**

Demand Workers Have Voice in Business Interest of Industries.

(By the Associated Press)  
STOCKHOLM—Organized influence and participation of workmen in the direction and control of Swedish industrial enterprises which employ 25 persons or more is recommended in a plan just submitted to the government by the official Committee on Industrial Democracy. The recommendation involves more general recognition of labor unions, while forcing the employer to heed administrative and executive advice from his employees.  
According to the committee's scheme, so-called councils may be established in industrial plants of 25 or more employees, providing such a measure is approved by the authorized labor union concerned. In the larger concerns these councils shall consist of three to nine delegates for the work men, sitting with not more than three representatives of the employer. It shall be the duty of the operation council to utilize the technical experience of the individual workman for the good of the concern, and the employer must furnish the council with necessary information regarding production. The council also may pass on questions of change in the equipment and methods of the plant.  
All waste in production is to be eliminated as far as possible by the council, which shall be assured the delivery of information from the employer regarding the costs of operation, except in cases in which the surrender of such information might harm the enterprise. It is provided that the employer must render a report at the end of every third month on the general business and prospects of the concern.



You can make good things even better with Mrs. Tucker's

SO many women tell us of the improvement Mrs. Tucker's Shortening has made in their cooking and baking, that we believe you would be glad to hear about it, too.  
Mrs. Tucker's, you know, is a pure vegetable shortening. It is as light and snowy as whipped cream, with all the richness of butter, but with none of the heavy greasiness of lard.  
For frying meats or vegetables, for making hot breads or pastry, Mrs. Tucker's is ideal. It cannot possibly injure the delicate flavor of any food. Just try one ball of Mrs. Tucker's. You will like it! It is made right here in the South, and comes to you always fresh.  
Be sure to get the blue ball with Mrs. Tucker's picture on it.

**SOFTENS HARD WATER**  
**RUB-NO-MORE WASHING POWDER**  
Makes HOUSE-CLEANING Easy  
Has a thousand uses in every home! Saves lots of soap! Also use R. N. M. the perfect White Napkin Soap!  
**SAVE THE TRADE MARKS**  
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**MCSWAIN THEATRE**  
The Playhouse of Character  
SHOWING TODAY  
**MARION DAVIES**  
—IN—  
**"Adam and Eva"**  
A PARAMOUNT PICTURE  
What are our spendthrift jazz-mad flapper daughters coming to? Ask Dad in "Adam and Eva." He knows. K  
ALSO SHOWING  
**Baby Peggy**  
—IN—  
**"Peg O' the Movies"**  
Two Big Shows in One



**Let's Go Swimming**  
We'll help you with your outfit—  
Pick it out from the following:  
Fit-Tight all-rubber Bathing Shoes in colors  
Beautiful Caps in all colors  
Good-Old-Common-Sense Bathing Caps  
Bathing Belts in assorted colors  
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We have something pretty to show you in the above and will appreciate the opportunity.  
**Coffman, Bobbitt & Sparks Co.**  
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**Swimming Time Is Here**  
Announcing the opening of  
**GLENWOOD POOL**  
Sunday, May 20  
GLENWOOD POOL will be opened to the public on Sunday, May 20th. This season, it will be under the management of the Ada Fire Department and the following prices will prevail:  
Season Tickets ..... \$5.00  
Bather with own suit ..... 25c  
Suits Furnished ..... 35c  
Children ..... 15c and 25c



## City Briefs

Claude Sparks was in Oklahoma City last night.

Get it at Gwin & Mays.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Givens are moving into their new home at 812 East 12.

Have your photo made at West's.

H. E. Bowman, superintendent of schools at Schuler, is a patient in the Faust hospital here.

Thompson's Drug Store can handle your drug wants. 1-7-41

Jakie Wright has accepted a position as linotype operator on the Madill Record at Madill.

Miss Olita Montgomery left for points in Texas today to spend her summer vacation.

Russell Battery Co. Willard Service and sales. Phone 140. 8-6-1m

Mrs. Sydney Smith and children are spending the week-end at Roff visiting parents.

Motor Sales Co. parts and accessories for all cars. 4-11-1f

Mrs. L. T. Henderson of Omaha, Texas is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Pool.

Jelly Coley motored to Oklahoma City last night to witness the Cooper-Hendricks fight.

Suits cleaned and pressed \$1.00. H. Claude Pitt, phone 171. 4-16-1m

John Fain was in Oklahoma City last night to attend the Cooper-Hendricks fight.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred G. Gay and Mrs. W. D. Little were Water Carnival visitors at Sulphur today.

\$5 buys a \$10 or \$12.50 hat at the Millinery Sale at La Vogue. 5-17-2t

Mrs. Jane Higginbotham, mother of Mrs. Lula Barnett, is recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Parker took Mrs. Parker's Sunday school class to Sulphur today for a picnic.

For first class painting and paperhanging. Phone 254-J. W. E. Brinlee. 4-19-1m

Miss Nell Kent, member of the high school faculty, left this afternoon for her home in Greenwood, Mississippi.

We appreciate the excellent business we have had in Ada. We will leave here Saturday afternoon. If your typewriters need repairs, see us at once. Mr. Wilson, Kirk Hotel. 5-18-1t

The eighth grade class at the Hays and Washington schools went on a picnic yesterday chaperoned by their teachers.

McCarty Bros. Can fix that old tire or tube. Phone 855. 116-18 S. Townsend. 7-7-1f

The graduating exercises of the Maud High School will be held this evening. The commencement sermon was preached last Sunday.

Cakes, Pies, everything good to eat at the Food Sale at O. E. Parker's Furniture Store, Saturday, 2 p. m. 5-18-1t

Big reductions on summer millinery at La Vogue \$5 buys a \$10 or \$12.50 hat. 5-17-2t

A. Floyd, superintendent of county schools, delivered the commencement address to grade school classes at Francis.

Miss Mattie Lydia, a member of the East Central College faculty, is spending the week-end with relatives at Boswell.

Cakes, Pies, everything good to eat at the Food Sale at O. E. Parker's Furniture Store, Saturday, 2 p. m. 5-18-1t

Several automobile loads of Ada pleasure seekers spent Friday in Sulphur for the opening of the Platt National Park there.

You'll never be hungry again if you go to the Food Sale at O. E. Parker's Furniture Store Saturday, 2 p. m. Ladies Aid Society of the Christian church. 5-18-1t

Crack case drained and washed free. Sterling Motor Supply Co. 5-15-5t

Mrs. Bone Hardin and daughter, Mrs. Weaver left Thursday for Plymouth, Michigan. Mr. Hardin will leave for that place in a few days and says they may decide to locate there.

Millinery sale at La Vogue \$10 and \$12.50 hats for \$5.00 5-17-2t

Go fishing on Blue. Camp sites at reasonable cost. Write Jas. P. Rogers, Cashionville, Okla. 4-23-1m

Many teachers are now in the city and more are expected to arrive from day to day. They will begin arriving in earnest the middle of next week, when registration and classification will start.

Crack case not only drained but washed free. A-1 Filling Station.

Hughes Baggage Transfer. Phone 887. 5-16-1m

## 10! HUM! ANOTHER MARATHON DANCE RECORD HUNG UP



Albert Kish and Bessie Edwards.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., May. —Albert Kish of this city, stopped dancing after he had hung up the world's marathon dancing record of 132 hours here.

Kish took out three minutes rest every seven hours. Witnesses were with him every minute and he was timed with a stop watch. He danced every minute of his time on the floor, using the marathon walk most of the time, usually a half waltz time.

More than 10,000 people saw him dancing since he started to make his record.

When he stopped it was because city ordinances forbid him to dance on Sunday. He looked fine and said he felt like another 50 hour non-stop jaunt.

He put on speedy jazz numbers, fast fox trots and snappy tipples his last hour on the floor.

Miss Bessie Edwards who started with him and went to sleep after 65 1-2 hours of non-stop dancing, returned to the floor after sleeping six hours and danced with him to the finish.

The pair are receiving vaudeville offers from all parts of the country. Both are expert dancers.

Soda service supreme—Light lunches, hot and cold drinks, candies and cigars. Wescroft's Drug Store 11-14-1f

Stephen Dunham of Shawnee is spending the week end here. Mrs. Dunham, who has been on the faculty of the Ada high school will accompany her husband on his return. They will make their home in Shawnee.

Thompson's floor oil is the best 75c per gallon at Thompson's Drug Store. 2-21-1f

Rev. R. P. Davis, pastor of the Methodist Church at Stratford, has resigned his pastorate and will move to Ada, according to an announcement in the Stratford Leader. Rev. Davis will enter evangelistic work, making Ada his home.

Bring your prescriptions to Thompson's Drug Store. 1-7-41

There is a strong demand for furnished houses for the summer. Many callers at the News office have asked for such places. If you have a furnished house to rent, it would be well to get your ad in without delay. Teachers for the summer are already arriving.

We buy second hand furniture. Shelton Furniture Co., phone 433.

In the absence of Rev. C. C. Morris next Sunday, Rev. J. E. McPeake of Roff will occupy the pulpit at the First Baptist church. Rev. McPeake is a young man of great ability, according to all reports.

Buy your drugs at Thompson's Drug Store. 1-7-41

The high waters of the first of the week sent Salt Creek in Potawatomi county the highest it has been in seventeen years, according to reports from residents of that section. Much of the cotton and corn along the stream were washed out or covered over.

We buy second hand furniture, paying best prices. Phone 433 Shelton Furniture Co. 11-3-1f

Mrs. A. B. Campbell and children left this afternoon for Hampton, Iowa, to join her husband, who has charge of the Lucky Bill's shows. She will be accompanied as far as Kansas City by Mrs. Newton's children, who will join their parents at Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Best prices paid for your second-hand furniture. Shelton Furniture Co., Phone 433. 11-3-1f

Floyd M. Dorsey, who has been teaching in the Ringling schools, this scholastic year, has returned home for the summer. He will attend the summer term of the college and take work on his degree course. Floyd is an Ada boy and

## Society

MRS. SYRON MORRILL, Editor  
Phone 598 between 10 a. m. and 12 o'clock  
Phone 597 between 1 p. m. and 5 o'clock

### SENIOR PLAY SUCCESS EVIDENCED AT McSWAIN

The complete success of the high school season was capped off in professional style here Thursday evening when the Senior class presented its play "The Hottentot" at the McSwain theater.

The list of characters selected from the role of the Senior class carried the entertainment to a highly pleasing pitch and left patrons of the high school entertainments well pleased with the effort.

The play, presented under the direction of Fred Schreiber who has had many years of experience on the legitimate stage, claimed the interest of the audience from the first rise of the curtain to the final act.

The presentation hinged on the famous story of the same name and dealt with the life in upper New York racing circles. Miss Kathryn Wilenszick and Joy Pegg carried the stellar roles in the presentation.

Proceeds of the play will be turned over to the Senior memorial fund.

is popular with the young men and women of the city. While a student at E. C. T. C. he was one of the best known athletes.

Wescroft's Drug Store, the home of personal service. 11-14-1f

Prof. W. K. Newcomb, who is finishing his work as a member of the Okemah High school faculty this week, has accepted the position as superintendent of the city schools of Maud for another year. Prof. Newcomb is a B. A. graduate of the East Central college, and has many friends in Ada. This is considered rapid promotion for a young teacher, and all of his friends say he will make good in a big way. Prof. Frank Casteel, now Maud superintendent, will return to Missouri.

C. H. Massey and family, 706 E. 9th and D. C. Abney and family, 605 E. 7th, left this morning in their autos, well equipped for a month's travel through Texas. The principle stopping place will be McAllen, Texas.

Food Sale—O. E. Parker's Furniture Store. Christian Ladies Aid Society; Saturday 2. P. M. 5-18-1t

Geo. W. Hicks who returned from the Sherman hospital about a week ago is very ill at his home on East Main.

Food Sale—O. E. Parker's Furniture Store. Christian Ladies Aid Society; Saturday 2. P. M. 5-18-1t

Foster McSwain, owner of the McSwain theater, has just completed a modern ventilating system for his theatre here to be used during the summer months.

A. R. Dixon, manager of Arche Cooper, local middleweight boxer, was in Oklahoma City last night for the match.

Money to loan on close in, well improved residence and business properties in Ada, rates attractive, interest payable semi-annually. The Deming Investment Co., Durant, Okla. 5-18-1m

C. A. Rotenberry of Stratford has received an appointment as state highway enforcement officer, reports in Ada say. He will see that all cars have license tags and other road laws are enforced.

Tomato and Crystal White Bermuda onion plants. Home grown. Fresh from beds daily. Sadler Grocery. Phone 901. 5-9-6t eod

Baptist Shy Evolution. (By the Associated Press)

KANSAS CITY, May 18.—The Southern Baptist convention here today decided not to take a definite stand on the theory of evolution, although reaffirming its belief in "certain great truths, such as creation by Divine fiat as set forth in the Word of God," and the "incarnation involved in the virgin birth of our Savior."

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## SUMMER MUSIC SCHOOL

Mrs. Winget will begin her school May 21st to July 28th. Students wishing to enroll call Phone 563 or 528 East Main. Students at a distance can take lessons at home. Beginners urged to start in the summer term.

## Many Perish in Burning School

(Continued from Page One)

stairway. When the stairway collapsed many were impaled on the jagged timbers and others were pinned down by the weight of bodies above them. Those who made their way out of the building turned at once to aid the victims but they found little opportunity to do so, the only exit except the windows having been cut off.

Forty children, 16 men and 15 women, including a negro nurse were burned to death and two young white men were missing. In some cases because all members of families were lost, bodies remain unclaimed.

Although the fire and panic occurred shortly after 3 o'clock last night, news of the disaster did not reach the outside world until many hours later. The entire available population joined in the rescue work. Eye witnesses said that a number of men lost their lives in the efforts to save others. In some instances they won their way to safety but on learning of the desperate situation inside the building returned to try to rescue the women and children. Identification of bodies in many cases was made through articles of clothing. Rescue workers had accounted for all persons known to have been in the building except two missing men. They expressed the opinion that the death list would not exceed 73 although a number of those who escaped were seriously hurt. The list of injured has not been compiled.

## SUNDAY SCHOOLS REPORT GROWTH

Southern Baptists Claim New Increase of Interest in Sunday School Work.

(By the Associated Press)

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 18.—Marked growth was experienced by Southern Baptists in their Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. work during the year just ended, according to the report of the Sunday school board presented to the Southern Baptist convention today by Dr. I. J. Van Ness of Nashville, Tenn., corresponding secretary.

A total of 20,935 local Sunday schools with a combined enrollment of 2,220,035 pupils were shown on the report. The number of Baptist Young People's Union local organizations was given as 13,980 with a membership of 483,166. There has been a gain in the year of 3,300 unions and 167,434 members.

One of the prominent features of the board's field work during the year was its rural campaign for the development of Sunday schools and B. Y. P. U.'s in seventeen states of the convention's territory upon which \$32,810.71, supplemented by the various state boards, was expended. It was stated that fully half of the constituency of Southern Baptist Sunday schools is in schools of less than 200 enrollment.

The architectural department of the board assisted 790 churches in the preparation of plans for new church buildings, while the educational department awarded 16,997

normal course diplomas to Sunday school teachers throughout the South during the year, the report set out. Eighty-seven paid workers are kept busy in the development of the Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. organizations, the report revealed.

Receipts of the board during the year were \$1,395,300.50 and from its earnings the board invested \$273,931.22 in general denominational work, according to the report.

A Bible study in Russian for Russian immigrants, issued quarterly, was a new feature of the church's publications during the year, the secretary reported.

Two buildings costing \$400,000 are nearing completion at the board's headquarters at Nashville, one to be occupied by the mailing and shipping departments and the other as a printing plant. They will be occupied this summer.

The statistical report showed there are 27,919 churches affiliated with the Southern Baptist convention with a membership of 3,306,211.

**ATTENTION, METHODIST**

Our services have been somewhat disturbed for the last few weeks and many of our people have been so busy they have been deprived of the services at the church.

The pastor wishes to urge all of his people and friends to make Sunday a rally day. Begin to get ready now for a great day in the Sunday school, Epworth League, and young people's societies.

And then let us come together in prayer and thanksgiving at the preaching services.

Revival services at night. Good music.

J. H. BALL, Pastor.

According to reports a large number of marriages are occurring between the Japanese and Koreans.

*Good to the last drop*

Nothing but many years of coffee experience could give the housekeeper her calm confidence in the unvarying flavor of Maxwell House.

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**"Yep, same thing—wouldn't be breakfast without KELLOGG'S CORN FLAKES"**

Great thing to sit down to a breakfast of Kellogg's Corn Flakes! Great feeling for the balance of the day—for Kellogg's sustain and satisfy, and they give the stomach a chance to get tuned up for heavier foods later.

If folks would get away from heavy, greasy morning meals most indigestion would be naturally eliminated—your physician will tell you that!

Eat Kellogg's for breakfast and lunch; eat them generously; and you'll think and work and play far keener!

Kellogg's Corn Flakes are ready to serve; no cooking, no wearisome pot scraping afterwards.

Kellogg's Corn Flakes are sold only in the RED and GREEN package that bears the signature of W. K. Kellogg. None are genuine without it.

**Kellogg's CORN FLAKES**

Also makers of Kellogg's KRUMBLEES and Kellogg's BRAN

## Dry Forces Take New Hopes With Laws in Germany

(By the Associated Press)

BERLIN, May 18.—Two important developments in Germany have brought joy to the "dry" workers' camp. The Reichstag has adopted a law prohibiting the production and sale of absinthe, and measures have been inaugurated to restrict the public advertisement of alcoholic beverages.

The state railways have announced they will receive no more such advertising after May 1, and Berlin's municipal railways have been directed hereafter to accept adver-

tisements for liquor interests only on the same terms and to the same extent as they take them for other firms.

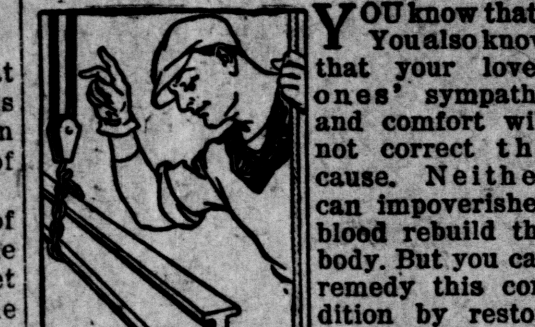
**DON'T MISS**

**"ADAM and EVA"**  
Starring Marion Davies

**Baby Peggy**  
—IN—  
**"Peg O' the Movies"**

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## Steady nerves depend on the condition of your Blood



YOU know that! Here is your opportunity. S. S. S. will prove to you its "why" and "how" reason. S. S. S. contains only purely vegetable medicinal ingredients. Because S. S. S. does build blood-power, it rids rheumatism, stops pimples, blackheads, boils, eczema, beautifies the complexion, builds you up when you are run down, and makes your nerves steady!

Mr. W. T. Hooker, 2321 Proctor Street, Port Arthur, Texas, writes: "I suffered from Eczema for seven years and was afflicted with nervousness. I tried S. S. S. and six bottles cured me. I now enjoy good health. I think S. S. S. is the only sure cure for blood disorders on the market."

Try it yourself. S. S. S. is sold at all good drug stores. The large size is more economical. Get a bottle today!

## S.S.S. makes you feel like yourself again

Buy with Confidence, Money Back if Anything's Wrong

**Value and Variety in Fine Spring Clothes**

**\$35**

You want both; you get both here in suits from Fashion Park and Stein-Bloch. The largest stock of clothing between Oklahoma City and Ardmore—that's variety. Fine long-wearing quality, newest and best styles, expert workmanship, a very low price—that's value.

Shaw's Economy 2-Trouser Suits \$21.05 to \$28.55

Prepster First Long 2-Trouser Suits \$19.50

**STRAW TIME**

**\$2.95**

Sounds cheap, doesn't it—well you will be more than surprised when you see the qualities and late styles—for this price. Tans and white in course and fine weaves.

**NEW SHIRTS**

**\$1 to \$1.49**

You would not expect such quality and style in shirts as there are in these. Checks of all kinds, stripes and plain greys and tans.

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## 73 MEET DEATH IN SCHOOLHOUSE FIRE

### FUND FOR GLASS PLANT ADDITION BELOW SET QUOTA

Waner Urges Citizens Come to Aid of Prospective Industry Here.

#### ALL DRIVES SHORT

Waner Reports Interest Not Sufficient in Drive for Funds.

According to first reports from the committees appointed by the Chamber of Commerce to solicit funds to buy additional land for the industrial site they are falling short of the goal and a second drive will be necessary if contributions are not forthcoming more freely than at first. None of the committees had raised their quota up to noon today and some have covered a big part of their territory. Joe Cole and M. C. Taylor, the committee in the 100 block on South side of West Main have had fair responses so far and are not far from their quota. Some committees report lack of interest on the part of some of the citizens and while some realize the value and necessity of giving liberally and are so doing, others are lagging behind and not giving what they should.

Ralph Waner, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, stated: "The new glass factory will be ready to start construction by June 1, and it is imperative that we raise the money to buy this land at an early date. The company will not begin construction until the title of the factory site is forthcoming. There is not a man that makes Ada his home who will not be benefited by this factory coming. It means more work, more business and a growth of the city. A contribution to buy land to accommodate a factory is not a gift but an investment. If you expect to glean any of the profits of business you must invest."

#### Must Be Raised

"The money must be raised. It is not probable that the chamber of commerce will take the responsibility of buying on credit, since the officers of this organization have been continually criticized the past two or three years for getting in debt from time to time when it was necessary to make expenditures and some of the citizens would not contribute their part. It is time state attorneys when she repeated alleged conversations she had with one of the city are not interested enough in the welfare of Ada to get behind with a little money occasionally and help keep the work going. It is high time for the Chamber of Commerce to quit putting on a stiff front and let the ball hit as it may."

"Now is a good time for every man in Ada to show his appreciation of being a citizen of this good city. With the glass factory in reach the possibility of development of the asphalt mines, the compress getting ready for operation next fall, the prospect of a large attendance at the College and additional production in all the local manufacturing plants make it appear that business will be humming within the near future and citizens should appreciate this fact and help keep the home fires burning. Don't depend too much upon the other fellow; he may be depending upon you."

"If you have not been asked to contribute you can do your part by making a contribution to the Chamber of Commerce. All are expected to give and every contribution will be a big help in raising the \$20,000 needed. Do it now."

### Higginbotham Case is Again Slacked in Judge Dispute

(By the Associated Press)  
CROSS CITY, Fla., May 18.—The trial of Walter Higginbotham, charged with first degree murder growing out of the death of Martha Tabert of North Dakota in a convict labor camp, was halted again today when the defendant filed affidavits from two citizens accusing Judge Mallory Horne, presiding in the case, of being prejudiced against him. Judge Horne disqualifies himself and recessed here until Gov. Hardee can name a new judge to come to Cross City to preside.

Why break up housekeeping by smashing the furniture?

### Indian Girl Gets Half of Valuable Estate of Father

MIAMI, Okla., May 18.—Maude Lee Mudd, an Indian girl of this city is entitled to half of the two million dollar estate of her aunt, Mrs. Lucy Beaver according to the decision of Judge Haynes in county court at Vinita yesterday, after a lengthy hearing regarding the validity of the marriage of Mrs. Beaver to a man by the name of Perry. The court held that the marriage to Perry was illegal on account of the fact that it was contracted in less than six months after Mrs. Beaver's divorce in Oklahoma. The marriage occurred in Kansas City. A brother of Mrs. Beaver is entitled to share with Miss Mudd in the estate, the court held.

### PALMER GRANTED JAIL CLEARENCE

Student Out of Jail on Own Recognizance Before Testimony in Case.

(By the Associated Press)  
CHICAGO, May 18.—Charles "Chuck" Palmer, star football player and leader of Northwestern university, after being held part of the time in a cell which he referred to as a dungeon, since 1 a. m. yesterday in connection with the disappearance of Leighton Mount, who disappeared after a class rush in 1921, was freed on his own recognizance today by Chief Justice McKinley. Palmer was directed to return to court at 2 p. m. today.

Palmer was held in custody Thursday night in connection with the disappearance of Leighton Mount, freshman student, in September 1921, despite denials by Palmer that he knew anything about the case.

Palmer was taken into custody after Mrs. Violet Bachman, a former acquaintance, had told assistant state attorneys that Palmer told her shortly after Mount's disappearance that Mount was safe and that he knew where he was, and that he later told her he could not talk about the case.

Admits He Knew Woman  
Palmer, who had been held incommunicado at the order of the state's attorneys office, was confronted with Mrs. Bachman, Thursday, in the presence of assistant state attorneys when she repeated alleged conversations she had with him.

He flatly denied her statements, although he admitted that he knew Mrs. Bachman, then Miss Violet Lawson, in 1921. Also present at the questioning of Palmer and Mrs. Bachman was Roscoe Conkling Fitch, student, who a few days ago claimed to know "all about the Mount case," but said later he thought inquirers were talking about Louis Aubert, student killed in an automobile accident a few weeks ago.

### Ada Shriners Turn to Henryetta With Pilgrimage Intent

Approximately 75 Shriners and their wives began the pilgrimage to Shrine ceremonial at Henryetta today when a special train from Macall took on the added representation of the Pontotoc county Shrine club.

Bedecked in the conspicuous red fez, Ada Shriners and their wives were prepared to lend their enthusiasm to the festivities, which were expected to reach record height at Henryetta.

Although no candidate for the Shrine ring was launched by Ada Shriners, their support is expected to be looked to with importance by aspiring candidates from this section of the state.

The special train left Ada at 8:45 this morning. Trains leave Henryetta at 6 p. m., 10:30 p. m. and 11 p. m. on which Ada Shriners and their wives may return.

#### One Killed in Wreck

(By the Associated Press)  
CHICAGO, May 18.—One man was killed and numerous passengers thrown from their berths when two Rock Island passenger trains collided head on at Selden, Kansas, at 4:42 a. m. today, according to word received by road officials here. J. P. Ruberson, fireman of one of the trains was the man killed.

### Fair "Coppesses" Meet in Capitol



Left to right, Mrs. Mary A. Sullivan, New York city; Mrs. Mabel Rockwell, Chicago; Mrs. Mina C. Van Winkle, Washington, D. C.; Miss Mary Breen, Detroit; Mrs. Anna Whitmore, Memphis; Mrs. Minnie Rowland, Petersburg, Va.

Policewomen from all over the world have gathered in Washington, D. C., for their annual meeting. Mrs. Mina C. Van Winkle, president of the international Association of Policewomen, is presiding at the conference which is considering among other things the establishment of a training school for policewomen. It is believed that such a school will be started shortly. Practically every large city in the United States and Europe is represented.

### SCHOOLS FINISH WORK IN COUNTY

Floyd Maintains Practically all Rural Schools in County Closed This Week.

Practically all rural schools in Pontotoc county will have closed for the summer months in closing exercises today and tonight, according to the announcement of A. Floyd, county superintendent of schools.

In few instances where schools began late because of crop conditions, rural schools will continue for the next few weeks. In other instances where schools were forced to close because of insufficient funds and delayed assistance from the state, school will run in delayed schedule.

Where schools continued awaiting state funds, money from the coffers of the state treasury was timely, rural teachers being paid in full for their services during the time when funds were not available.

Many schools over the county closed with appropriate exercises today, others will close tonight, Floyd announced.

County Superintendent Floyd delivered an address to the eighth grade graduating class at Francis last night.

Floyd announced today that practically the entire teaching force for the county had been secured and preparations complete for starting the school term next fall.

### Glenwood Bathing Pool to be Open to Public Sunday

Bathing will begin at Glenwood park Sunday, according to an announcement of Homer Jones, fire chief. The fire department will have charge of the pool this season.

It is believed no difficulty will be experienced in getting plenty of water for the pool this season, as the new arrangement in the water department is delivering much more water than has been the case in the past.

Glenwood is one of the popular bathing pools of the community and the opening Sunday is expected to see a large attendance.

#### Sir Knights, Attention!

Regular Conclave of Ada Commandery No. 16, K. T., this evening at 7:30 o'clock sharp. Business of importance. All Sir Knights cordially invited.

J. C. DEAYER, E. C.

If a skeleton had three feet would it be a bone yard?

### City Officials of State to Assemble On Gas Rate Case

(By the Associated Press)  
OKLAHOMA CITY, May 18.—A conference of all municipal officials of cities served by the Oklahoma Natural Gas Co., has been called to meet at the capitol next Thursday, when each will be given a voice in the proposed valuation of the company. It was announced today by Frank Carter, chairman of the state corporation commission. The valuation is sought as the basis for an appeal the commission plans to take from the decision Wednesday of the United States district court here in restraining the commission's gas rate order.

### STUDENTS REVEL IN POLICE RIOT

Pennsylvania Students Battle With Officers; Several Injured in Fight.

(By the Associated Press)  
PHILADELPHIA, May 18.—The vicinity of the University of Pennsylvania campus was the scene of wild rioting early today when undergraduates celebrating "Hey Day" defied the police orders to disperse and battled with the authorities. Several students were injured before the disturbances were quelled. Two thousand students were in the streets for the annual celebration, which marks the advancement of all undergraduates and seniors for the first time don cap and gown.

Hurling milk bottles and other missiles, while in snake dance formation, the revelers caused considerable property damage and terrified the residents of the campus vicinity. Trolley and motor traffic was completely disrupted when a riot call was sent in and a special detail of police arrived on the scene and fired into the air. The rioting, continued, however, until a police lieutenant and a senior student induced the rioters to return to the campus and finally disperse. Six were arrested.

### AGREE ON REQUEST NOT TO CARRY MOZZE BY PLANE

(By the Associated Press)  
NEW YORK, May 18.—If the supreme court's edict prohibiting transatlantic craft from carrying liquors within the three mile limit stands, the Cunard and Anchor lines will adhere strictly to the law, Sir Ashley Sparks, general agent for the United States announced today upon his return from the Aquitania from a conference with officials of the lines.

### TORNADO CAUSES DAMAGE IN TEXAS

Several Injured and Crops Damaged by Winds Near Beaumont.

BEAUMONT, Tex., May 18.—Considerable damage to merchants' stocks was caused here today by the heaviest rain in the history of the local weather bureau, 13.54 inches having fallen between 6 a. m. and 11:30 a. m. All the principal streets were covered to a depth of 16 inches. Traffic was virtually at a standstill and the streets filled with stranded automobiles.

There was no report of injuries to any one. The storm was accompanied by a heavy wind and electrical disturbance.

BEAUMONT, Texas, May 18.—A terrific downpour of rain which started about 6 o'clock this morning, accompanied by a high wind, was still falling here at 9 o'clock this morning. The streets were flooded and at that hour 10.65 inches of rain had fallen. A heavy hail accompanied the storm.

HOUSTON, Tex., May 18.—Two persons were injured when a miniature tornado struck a small village near Conroe, 40 miles from here early today, according to reports received here. No report of any other disaster has been made to local newspapers.

### BRITISH STAGE STRONG PLAY FOR GOLF TROPHY

ST. ANDREWS, Eng., May 18.—The British amateur golf team holds a commanding lead in the Walker cup tournament as a result of the first day's matches. The Britishers won three of the four two ball foursomes at 36 holes. The Americans must win six of the eight twosomes to retain the trophy, which has never been out of American possession.

### HAGEN TO PLAY IN FINALS OF GOLF CLASSIC

(By the Associated Press)  
LEEDS, May 18.—Elder Hagen, American, must meet H. C. Jolley of Fox Grove, England, in the final match of the professional tournament here. Hagen this afternoon defeated George Sarazen, American open champion 3 and 1 in the semi-finals. The other semi-final was won by Jolley from John McKenzie of Eckley 2 and 1.

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### Girl Injured in Auto Accident on Gravel Highway

The condition of Miss Beam, daughter of a farmer who lives east of the city lake, who was injured when run over by an automobile on the gravel road Wednesday night, is reported improved, according to information at the Faust hospital today.

The girl was run down by the car of John Payne, whose car lights had been impaired, Payne being unable to see the girl who was walking up the gravel road in the vicinity of the Homer school house.

The girl suffered a fractured right arm and a sprained ankle. Her injuries were attended at the Faust hospital and later she was removed to her home.

### KRUPP SENTENCE HELD BY COURTS

Confirmation of Penalty for Iron Works Leader is Held on Appeal.

(By the Associated Press)  
DUSSELDORF, May 18.—The sentences imposed by the recent court martial upon Dr. Krupp von Bohlen and other Krupp directors tried for instigating opposition to the French at the Krupp plant at the time of the shooting March 31, were confirmed today by the court of revision. An appeal will be taken to the court of cassation.

The court granted a retrial to Herr Mueller, a member of the factory council of the Krupp works who was convicted at the same time and sentenced to six months in jail. The demand for a retrial for Dr. Krupp von Bohlen was based on 11 counts, the principal one being the argument that the court at Werden which tried him was incompetent as the occupation of the Ruhr was illegal under the treaty of Versailles.

The death sentence on Albert Schlageter, former Prussian officer, convicted of espionage and sabotage, charged by the French with being the leader of the "murder gang", was confirmed by the court of revision. This is the first death sentence pronounced since the occupation of the Ruhr. His counsel will try to bring his case before the court of cassation.

### Russians Demand Swift Action on Murder of Soviet

(By the Associated Press)  
MOSCOW, May 18.—The Russian soviet government has sent a note to the Swiss government holding that government responsible for the recent assassination of L. Vorovsky, soviet representative to the Lausanne conference, alleging negligence on the part of the Swiss of ficers.

The note asks for an investigation of the circumstances of the crime, dismissal of the employees on charges of negligence and a speedy trial for the assassin.

### LABOR STARTS SECOND DEBUT IN BANKING

(By the Associated Press)  
NEW YORK, May 18.—Labor's second venture in banking in New York city was dedicated today at the formal opening of the Federal Trust Co. on 34th street. The new institution was jointly organized by the central trades and labor council of this city and the state federation of labor, starting with an authorized capital of \$1,000,000 and according to its officers, 1,000,000 stockholders.

### AMERICAN AND BRITISH CAPTIVES FACE DEATH

(By the Associated Press)  
SHANGHAI, May 18.—American and British captives held by Shan Tung bandits, will be shot next Tuesday if the Chinese troops are not withdrawn, according to the "final ultimatum" of the bandits brought from the mountain stronghold of the bandits by a French captive who was released for that purpose.

#### Bonar Law in Ill Health

(By the Associated Press)  
PARIS, May 18.—The health of Andrew Bonar Law, according to information derived from persons in close relation to the British premier, is so seriously affected that his retirement appears to be only a matter of weeks, even days.

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### MANY PERISH AS CROWDS MASS IN SCHOOL FLAMES

Tilting of Kerosene Lamp Throws School Building Into Fatal Trap.

#### CROWDS IN PANIC

Joint Funeral Services for Heavy Toll of Flames in Carolina Town.

(By the Associated Press)  
CAMDEN, S. C., May 18.—The death toll in the Cleveland school house fire at 11:15 this morning stood at 73 with one person missing, according to a corrected list made public at that hour.

CAMDEN, S. C., May 18.—Seventy-one dead and two unaccounted for was the toll of a fire at a school house at Cleveland, South Carolina, last night as determined at 7 o'clock today. Cleveland is eight miles from here.

The collapse of a narrow wooden stairway leading to the second floor, where an entertainment in connection with the close of school was in progress, caused many of the deaths, a number of persons being crushed in the debris. Other cut off from escape in this way, were burned to death while still others jumped from the windows.

The fire was caused by the overturning of an oil lamp on the stage during the commencement exercises, which were being witnessed by a crowd that jammed the room. A panic followed.

The school building was a two story frame structure containing three rooms and was burned before outside aid could be summoned and nothing remained but to give aid to the injured. All available doctors were called from Camden and other nearby towns.

The death list reads like a roster of the families of the community. Family after family was entirely wiped out. Among the dead is George Dixon, county coroner and young daughter.

Funeral services of the victims will be held jointly at 6 o'clock this evening near the building where they met death. Announcement of the plan was made by Mayor Garrison of Camden, who is in charge of the arrangements. The plan also is to bury all at the same time and in the same grave.

Chief of Police H. E. Whitaker said that persons for miles around were soon on the scene aiding in the relief work and that an undetermined number of injured had been brought to the Camden hospital. The confusion at the scene was such, he said, that it was impossible to get the exact detail of the disaster.

The narrow wooden stairway the only egress from the building, was quickly jammed by a struggling mass of humanity. Men, women and children fought to force their way out and many were crushed to death in the rush. On seeing this way cut off others ran to the windows and leaped out. Many of these sustained broken limbs and others seriously injured.

In the meantime without means of stamping out the blaze, others who had escaped from the building or were attracted to the scene could only stand by and see the destruction going on without being able to extend aid to the helpless ones. The more seriously injured were rushed to hospitals in nearby towns or taken to their homes. Five of the victims suffering from fractures were brought to the hospital here within a few minutes.

The first news of the disaster came to Camden from a telephone operator at Cleveland.

CAMDEN, S. C., May 23.—Nearly every family in the county was affected by the disaster. Many Camden people had gone to witness the play and some of these are numbered among the victims.

The Cleveland school is located in the center of a fertile section, but is sparsely populated. The road leading to the scene is little more than a one way path along the edge of the plowed ground. This morning hundreds of autos and buggies were passing to and from the scene of the tragedy.

Safety forgotten in panic. In the panic which followed the explosion little effort, apparently, was made to fight the flames which quickly communicated to the dry timber of the little, 40 foot frame school building. Mothers with children in their arms were trampled under foot. Young and old alike fought for a chance to reach the

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**Matrimonial Adventures**

**Driftwood**

BY  
**Courtney Ryley Cooper**

Author of "The Circus-Cat," "The White Horse," "The Eagle's Eye," etc.

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**COURTNEY RYLEY COOPER**

Courtney Ryley Cooper, author, lecturer, circus man and expert on jungle animals, began life as a clown in a small circus. Mr. Cooper says that he ran away from home for the first time to join the Buffalo Bill Wild West show at the age of six, and that after that regularly trip or three times a year, the rest of the Cooper family spent most of its time dragging him home whenever a circus came to his town, Kansas City. When he was fifteen he made the final breakaway, becoming a clown at the magnificent salary of five dollars a week. After about five years of this he began to mix the circus business with that of the newspaper and left the "white tops" to become a reporter for the Kansas City Star. He then successively was a special writer for the Star, the Chicago Tribune, the New York World and the Denver Post, when he again went back to the circus to become press agent of the Sells-Floto circus, and personal representative for Col. William R. Cody, "Buffalo Bill." Later still he became general manager of the Sells-Floto circus.

Following this he turned his attention to telling the rest of the world what he had learned of the stories and articles began to appear in all the large magazines of the United States.

MARY STEWART CUTTING, JR.

It was six-fifteen o'clock. In the kitchen the last touches had been given a meal which was a bit more extravagant than was customary in the household of Mr. and Mrs. John Carrington. The silver candlesticks were on the dining room table instead of the usual glass ones; the service had been polished with extra care that morning. At the side of each of the two plates was a sprig of orange blossoms, which had arrived, special delivery, from California, that morning. Just beyond the French doors leading to the living room was a large basket of roses. It was thus every year.

In the fireplace of the living room, the flames leaped in blue and green and violet colorings, the offgivings of driftwood, sending their colorations into the big, comfortable shadowy room and upon the woman who sat, just within the range of warmth, gazing into the flames. Mrs. John Carrington was waiting for her husband to come home to dinner in honor of their tenth anniversary.

Not that there was any doubt as to the time or manner of his arrival. Mr. and Mrs. John Carrington had a reputation—they were known as the happiest married couple of all their set—a set, incidentally, which included every worth-while name in the directory. In five minutes, Mrs. Carrington knew, there would sound the throbbing of a familiar engine from down the street and the squeaking of brakebands which always announced the homecoming of the best husband in town. John never failed, just as he never failed to telephone her precisely at eleven o'clock each morning, just as he never failed to remember her birthday, or to send the biggest basket of roses which he could afford, on their anniversary. Just as he never failed to take her to the theater on Thursday night, to the Country club for the Friday night dances, or—about the list is too long. John was the ideal husband. He never failed in anything.

Nor did she. For Medaine Carrington also had her place in the matrimonial sun. Even her enemies admitted that she was a perfect wife. The serenity of the Carrington home was something which could not be denied. Everyone knew of it, everyone spoke of it. John Carrington and his wife never had even quarreled!

Yet, as Mrs. Carrington watched the fire, it seemed that an expression, almost of utter fear, was in her eyes; the tapping of a shoe upon the soft rug gave evidence of nervousness, the quick knitting of her hands emphasized it. Now and then she turned her head toward the window—as though fearful of his coming, yet anxious that he be here. Then she would resume her former position, her eyes fraught with presentment, gazing into the big fireplace where the driftwood crackled and the flames leaped and scurried in vibrant colorings. The minutes passed.

A car stopped protestingly. A step sounded. The door opened. She turned with her usual smile.

"How are you, Dearest?"

"Same as usual, Sweetheart." He was hanging up his hat and overcoat. A moment more and he came behind her, to lay his hands on her shoulders for an instant. "How's my Sweetheart tonight?"

"Happy as always, John." She turned and looked him lightly. "You were a dear to send me those roses. You never forget, John."

"No, sweetheart, I don't."

"Why should I? Pretty Mrs."

"Yes—driftwood. I've been sitting here watching it, while I waited for you."

For a moment he, too, looked into the blaze.

"Beautiful. Driftwood, eh? Rather hard to get isn't it?"

She smiled.

"Yes—but then, this is our anniversary."

"That's right. That's right. I suppose the dinner's waiting?"

It was a useless question—asked merely for the sound of it. John knew that dinner was ready. It always was ready. The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Carrington was one in which nothing ever was awry. He went on:

"Yes, of course, it's waiting. Just a moment, Sweetheart, until I tidy up a bit and I'll be with you. Only a moment—"

He hurried up the stairs, while again the gaze of Medaine Carrington sought the flames, the gaze of one whose mind is peopled with anguish. But in a moment more, it had vanished. John was beside her, bowing in mock overpoliteness, and offering his arm in an extravagant invitation to the table.

"Many congratulations today," he said as they seated themselves. "Four or five of the boys dropped in to tell me their troubles, and incidentally to say how much they envied us. Strange what a few little numbers will do, isn't it?"

"Marvelous." Her self-possession had returned; with him before her she was again the usual Medaine Carrington. "This is the tenth year, without a quarrel."

John laughed.

"And our idea may spread. Bentley's married you know—just last week. Came into the office today. Told him all about our system, and how it's worked out. 'All that you need for happiness, Bent,' I said, 'is to learn to count to a hundred.' Then, I went on and told how it had worked with us, how we simply schooled ourselves into the habit of counting to a hundred before we said an unkind word, how, if one of us was nervous or irritable, it became the duty of the other to hold in, and the wonderful result that we've attained. After all, dearest, it's all very simple, isn't it?"

"Extremely so." For just an instant her eyes clouded—only to brighten again. "I've never seen prettier roses than the ones you sent today, John."

"That's what you're always good enough to say. By the way, this roast is done to a turn. I never tasted better."

The meal progressed to a perfect conclusion—as it always did. Once more, they were before the driftwood flame. She took his hand in hers.

"After all, it's remarkable that two persons could go through ten years of married life without a quarrel, isn't it, John?"

He nodded. Then:

"Yes—in a way. Then again, all that is necessary is common sense."

"I suppose so. But haven't there been times when I have tried you terribly, when I've made you so angry that you couldn't hold your temper?"

"No, not once, dearest. One simply couldn't lose his temper with you."

"There—you mustn't say that. Besides, the main point, I suppose, is the fact that it's been accomplished. Ten years of married life, without even a quarrel."

She rose then, and moved slowly into the shadows. Again her hands knitted unconsciously. An expression, as of acute pain came into her eyes. John did not see—he was gazing into the flames and watching the colorings as they came and went.

"Ten years without a quarrel! It's something to be proud of, something to boast about to your friends and—"

"Yes, I suppose so."

There was something in her tone which caused him to look up quickly, to glance toward her as though she had uttered a desecration. The flickering of the fireplace caught her features, to display them as singularly pale, singularly drawn and indicative of suffering. He half rose—but she motioned him back.

"Please sit there, John, I've—something to tell you."

"Why, dearest? You seem so—"

"Don't—please." She gripped the back of a chair as though for support. "I want to say it as quickly as possible. I'm going away, John."

The voice was faint.

He was silent for a moment. At last:

"Well, if you feel that you should—of course, it would be better from a financial point if you waited a while, but if you really want to—"

"I don't mean that way, John. I'm not coming back."

"Not—?" He stared at her in non-plussed fashion for a long time before he rose. "Why Medaine—I don't—!"

"I didn't think you'd understand."

"Not coming back? Why—?"

"Not coming back, John," she repeated, and this time the voice bore a certain note of harshness. "We're through."

"Medaine!"

"Please!" She motioned him back. "I know what I'm doing. I'm perfectly clear and sane. I've simply put up with you as long as I can stand it, and now I'm going away. You've become unbearable to me, and when a thing like that happens, the best thing to do is to get away. So I'm going."

She said it with more coolness than ever, and with an incisiveness that cut deep. There was the slightest twitching of John's fingers—then he turned away, and for a long moment was silent. At last, as though eased in mind, he moved again to his chair.

"You're tired, sweetheart. Tired out—nervous. Don't worry. Everything'll be all right. If you'll just tell me what's wrong, we'll find a way to



Verner Alexanderson, kidnaped Schenectady boy, in the sheriff's office at Watertown, N. Y., with Mrs. H. D. Grinnell, at whose farm he was found, and his temporary canine playmate, Jack.

Police are still seeking the abductors of Verner Alexanderson of Schenectady, who was found on the farm of Mrs. H. D. Grinnell, near Theresa, N. Y. He had been left there by the kidnapers when the chase became too hot.

remedy it. Nothing in the world that can't be remedied, you know."

"Except this. I'm tired of you, John. Sick of you."

"Sick? Tired?" He again faced her. "Sick of—?" Then for a long time he was silent again. "There, sweetheart, don't mind me. Of course you're tired. Ill, too. We'll talk it over in the morning."

"There isn't going to be any morning, John. At least, not with you."

She laughed. "Ten years is enough. I want someone else now."

"You?" He was on his feet in an instant, his fingers stretching wide, his brow working convulsively. "You—Medaine?"

"Exactly what I said."

"A man?"

"You don't suppose it would be any one else?"

"But Medaine—"

"And I have your permission to go?" It seemed that there was a little sarcasm in her tone. "Of course, you know, I'd do nothing without your permission. I want to be frank with you, you know. You've supported me for ten years. You've given me everything in the world I could ask for, you've supplied me with all the money that anyone in my circumstances could wish for, and you've really made it possible for me to have the money to do what I wanted to do when the time came, and so I really should ask your permission. Especially when another man is involved."

"Do you mean—" coldness had come into his voice, "that you're going to take the money that you've saved as my wife to go to some other man?"

"I've said nothing like that, John. Merely frankness and fairness to let you know."

"Who is he?"

"A friend of yours. We needn't mention names."

"No?" There were no long pauses between John Carrington's words now. The whiteness of his cheeks, the lack of color in his lips, turning them ghostly blue in the light of the driftwood, the glazed yet flaming appearance of his eyes all gave evidence that temper had gone beyond control. "No? We needn't mention names. That's what you say, Mrs. John Carrington, but I've a different idea."

"Your privilege! But the information won't come from me."

### SWEDISH LABOR WANTS INTEREST

Demand Workers Have Voice in Business Interest of Industries.

(By the Associated Press)

STOCKHOLM—Organized influence and participation of workmen in the direction and control of Swedish industrial enterprises which employ 25 persons or more is recommended in a plan just submitted to the government by the official Committee on Industrial Democracy. The recommendation involves more general recognition of labor unions, while forcing the employer to heed administrative and executive advice from his employees.

According to the committee's scheme, so-called councils may be established in industrial plants of 25 or more employees, providing such a measure is approved by the authorized labor union concerned. In the larger concerns these coun-



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els shall consist of three to nine delegates for the work men, sitting with not more than three representatives of the employer. It shall be the duty of the operation council to utilize the technical experience of the individual workman for the good of the concern, and the employer must furnish the council with necessary information regarding production. The council also may pass on questions of change in the equipment and methods of the plant.

All waste in production is to be eliminated as far as possible by the council, which shall be assured the delivery of information from the employer regarding the costs of operation, except in cases in which the surrender of such information might harm the enterprise. It is provided that the employer must render a report at the end of every third month on the general business and prospects of the concern.

New York Municipal Golf association has 600 members. By reason of an active campaign it is hoped to add three courses to the three in use at present.

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## GLENWOOD POOL

### Sunday, May 20

GLENWOOD POOL will be opened to the public on Sunday, May 20th. This season, it will be under the management of the Ada Fire Department and the following prices will prevail:

Season Tickets	\$5.00
Bather with own suit	25c
Suits Furnished	35c
Children	15c and 25c

LONDON—The high cost of litigation in England continues to spell hard times for lawyers. People prefer to settle their disputes out of court before they find themselves up to the neck in costs, or submit their dispute to arbitration, and the lawyers get no sympathy in their financial troubles from the general public.



## City Briefs

Claude Sparks was in Oklahoma City last night.

Get it at Gwin & Mays.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Givens are moving into their new home at 312 East 12.

Have your photo made at West's.

H. E. Bowman, superintendent of schools at Schuler, is a patient in the Faust hospital here.

Thompson's Drug Store can handle your drug wants. 1-7-11

Jakie Wright has accepted a position as linotype operator on the Madill Record at Madill.

Miss Oleta Montgomery left for points in Texas today to spend her summer vacation.

Russell Battery Co. Willard Service and sales. Phone 140. 8-6-1m

Mrs. Sydney Smith and children are spending the week-end at Roff visiting parents.

Motor Sales Co. parts and accessories for all cars. 4-11-11

Mrs. L. T. Henderson of Omaha, Texas is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Pool.

Jelly Coley motored to Oklahoma City last night to witness the Cooper-Headricks fight.

Suits cleaned and pressed \$1.00. H. Claude Platt, phone 171. 4-16-1m

John Fain was in Oklahoma City last night to attend the Cooper-Headricks fight.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred G. Gay and Mrs. W. D. Little were Water Carnival visitors at Sulphur today.

\$5 buys a \$10 or \$12.50 hat at the Millinery Sale at La Vogue. 5-17-21

Mrs. Jane Higginbotham, mother of Mrs. Lula Barnett, is recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Parker took Mrs. Parker's Sunday school class to Sulphur today for a picnic.

For first class painting and paperhanging. Phone 254-J. W. E. Brinlee. 4-19-1mo

Miss Nell Kent, member of the high school faculty, left this afternoon for her home in Greenwood, Mississippi.

We appreciate the excellent business we have had in Ada. We will leave here Saturday afternoon. If your typewriters need repairs, see us at once. Mr. Wilson, Kirk Hotel. 5-18-11

The eighth grade class at the Hays and Washington schools went on a picnic yesterday chaperoned by their teachers.

McCarty Bros. Can fix that old tire or tube. Phone 835. 110-18 S. Townsend. 7-7-11

The graduating exercises of the Maud High School will be held this evening. The commencement sermon was preached last Sunday.

Cakes, Pies, everything good to eat at the Food Sale at O. E. Parker's Furniture Store, Saturday, 2 p. m. 5-18-11

Big reductions on summer millinery at La Vogue \$5 buys a \$10 or \$12.50 hat. 5-17-21

A. Floyd, superintendent of county schools, delivered the commencement address to grade school classes at Francis.

Miss Mattie Lydia, a member of the East Central College faculty, is spending the week-end with relatives at Boswell.

Cakes, Pies, everything good to eat at the Food Sale at O. E. Parker's Furniture Store, Saturday, 2 p. m. 5-18-11

Several automobile loads of Ada pleasure seekers spent Friday in Sulphur for the opening of the Platt National Park there.

You'll never be hungry again if you go to the Food Sale at O. E. Parker's Furniture Store Saturday, 2 p. m. Ladies Aid Society of the Christian church. 5-18-11

Crank case drained and washed free. Sterling Motor Supply Co. 5-15-11

Mrs. Bone Hardin and daughter, Mrs. Weaver left Thursday for Plymouth, Michigan. Mr. Hardin will leave for that place in a few days and says they may decide to locate there.

Millinery sale at La Vogue \$10 and \$12.50 hats for \$5.00 5-17-21

Go fishing on Blue. Camp sites at reasonable cost. Write Jas. P. Rogers, Cashionville, Okla. 4-23-1mo

Many teachers are now in the city and more are expected to arrive from day to day. They will begin arriving in earnest the middle of next week, when registration and classification will start.

Crank case not only drained but washed free. A-1 Filling Station. Hughes Baggage Transfer. Phone 835. 5-16-1mo

## 101 HUM! ANOTHER MARATHON DANCE RECORD HUNG UP



Albert Kish and Bessie Edwards.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., May.—Albert Kish of this city, stopped dancing after he had hung up the world's marathon dancing record of 132 hours here.

Kish took out three minutes rest every seven hours. Witnesses were with him every minute and he was timed with a stop watch. He danced every minute of his time on the floor, using the marathon walk most of the time, usually a half waltz time.

More than 10,000 people saw him dancing since he started to make his record.

When he stopped it was because city ordinances forbid him to dance on Sunday. He looked fine and said he felt like another 50 hour non-stop jaunt.

He put on speedy jazz numbers, fast fox trots and snappy toddlers his last hour on the floor. His wife Bessie Edwards who started with him and went to sleep after 56 1-2 hours of non-stop dancing, returned to the floor after sleeping six hours and danced with him to the finish.

The pair are receiving vaudeville offers from all parts of the country. Both are expert dancers.

Soda service supreme—Light lunches, hot and cold drinks, candies and cigars. Wosencraft's Drug Store. 11-14-11

Stephen Dunham of Shawnee is spending the week end here. Mrs. Dunham, who has been on the faculty of the Ada high school will accompany her husband on his return. They will make their home in Shawnee.

Thompson's floor oil is the best 75c per gallon at Thompson's Drug Store. 2-21-11

Rev. R. P. Davis, pastor of the Methodist Church at Stratford, has resigned his pastorate and will move to Ada, according to an announcement in the Stratford Leader. Rev. Davis will enter evangelistic work, making Ada his home.

Bring your prescriptions to Thompson's Drug Store. 1-7-11

There is a strong demand for furnished houses for the summer. Many callers at the News office have asked for such places. If you have a furnished house to rent, it would be well to get your ad in without delay. Teachers for the summer are already arriving.

We buy second hand furniture.—Shelton Furniture Co., phone 438.

In the absence of Rev. C. C. Morris next Sunday, Rev. J. E. McPeake of Roff will occupy the pulpit at the First Baptist church. Rev. McPeake is a young man of great ability, according to all reports.

Buy your drugs at Thompson's Drug Store. 1-7-11

The high waters of the first of the week sent Salt Creek in Potawatomi county the highest it has been in seventeen years, according to reports from residents of that section. Much of the cotton and corn along the stream were washed out or covered over.

We buy second hand furniture, paying best prices. Phone 438. Shelton Furniture Co. 11-9-11

Mrs. A. B. Campbell and children left this afternoon for Hampton, Iowa, to join her husband, who has charge of the Lucky Bill's shows. She will be accompanied as far as Kansas City by Mrs. Newton's children, who will join their parents at Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

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## Society

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Phone 507 between 1 p. m. and 3 o'clock

### SENIOR PLAY SUCCESS EVIDENCED AT MGSWAIN

The complete success of the high school season was capped off in professional style here Thursday evening, when the Senior class presented its play, "The Hottentot" at the McSwain theater.

The list of characters selected from the role of the Senior class carried the entertainment to a highly pleasing pitch and left patrons of the high school entertainment well pleased with the effort.

The play, presented under the direction of Fred Schreiber who has had many years of experience on the legitimate stage, claimed the interest of the audience from the first rise of the curtain to the final act.

The presentation hinged on the famous story of the same name and dealt with the life in upper New York racing circles. Miss Kathryn Wilenzick and Joy Pegg carried the stellar roles in the presentation.

Proceeds of the play will be turned over to the Senior memorial fund.

is popular with the young men and women of the city. While a student at E. C. C. he was one of the best known athletes.

Wosencraft's Drug Store, the home of personal service. 11-14-11

Prof. W. K. Newcomb, who is finishing his work as a member of the Okemah High school faculty this week, has accepted the position as superintendent of the city schools of Maud for another year. Prof. Newcomb is a B. A. graduate of the East Central college, and has many friends in Ada. This is considered rapid promotion for a young teacher, and all of his friends say he will make good in the big way. Prof. Frank Casteel, now Maud superintendent, will return to Missouri.

C. H. Massey and family, 706 E. 9th and D. C. Abney and family, 505 E. 7th, left this morning in their autos, well equipped for a month's travel through Texas. The principle stopping place will be McAllen, Texas.

Food Sale—O. E. Parker's Furniture Store, Christian Ladies Aid Society; Saturday 2. P. M. 5-18-11

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Foster McSwain, owner of the McSwain theater, has just completed a modern ventilating system for his theatre here to be used during the summer months.

A. R. Dixon, manager of Arche Cooper, local middleweight boxer, was in Oklahoma City last night for the match.

Money to loan on close in, well improved residence and business properties in Ada, rates attractive, interest payable semi-annually. The Deming Investment Co., Durant, Okla. 5-18-1mo

C. A. Rotenberry of Stratford has received an appointment as state highway enforcement officer, reports in Ada say. He will see that all cars have license tags and other road laws are enforced.

Tomato and Crystal White Bermuda onion plants. Home grown. Fresh from beds daily. Sadler Grocery. Phone 901. 5-9-11 eod

Baptist Shy Evolution. (By the Associated Press)

KANSAS CITY, May 18.—The Southern Baptist convention here today decided not to take a definite stand on the theory of evolution, although reaffirming its belief in "certain great truths, such as creation by Divine fiat as set forth in the Word of God," and the "incarnation involved in the virgin birth of our Savior."

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Mrs. Winget will begin her school May 21st to July 28th. Students wishing to enroll call Phone 563 or 828 East Main. Students at a distance can take lessons at home. Beginners urged to start in the Summer term.

Best prices paid for your second-hand furniture.—Shelton Furniture Co., Phone 438. 11-2-11

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normal course diplomas to Sunday school teachers throughout the South during the year; the report set out. Eighty-seven paid workers are kept busy in the development of the Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. organizations, the report revealed.

Receipts of the board during the year were \$1,389,390.50 and from its earnings the board invested \$273,931.22 in general denominational work, according to the report.

A Bible study in Russian for Russian immigrants, issued quarterly, was a new feature of the church's publications during the year, the secretary reported.

Two buildings costing \$400,000 are nearing completion at the board's headquarters at Nashville, one to be occupied by the mailing and shipping departments and the other as a printing plant. They will be occupied this summer.

The statistical report showed there are 27,919 churches affiliated with the Southern Baptist convention with a membership of 3,306,211.

## Many Perish in Burning School

(Continued from Page One)

stairway. When the stairway collapsed many were impaled on the jagged timbers and others were pinned down by the weight of bodies above them. Those who made their way out of the building turned at once to aid the victims but they found little opportunity to do so, the only exit except the windows having been cut off.

Forty children, 16 men and 15 women, including a negro nurse were burned to death and two young white men were missing. In some cases because all members of families were lost, bodies remain unclaimed.

Although the fire and panic occurred shortly after 9 o'clock last night, news of the disaster did not reach the outside world until many hours later. The entire available population joined in the rescue work. Eye witnesses said that a number of men lost their lives in efforts to save others. In some instances they won their way to safety but on learning of the desperate situation inside the building returned to try to rescue the women and children. Identification of bodies in many cases was made through articles of clothing. Rescue workers had accounted for all persons known to have been in the building except two missing men. They expressed the opinion that the death list would not exceed 73 although a number of those who escaped were seriously hurt. The list of injured has not been compiled.

ATTENTION METHODIST Our services have been somewhat disturbed for the last few weeks and many of our people have been so busy they have been deprived of the services at the church.

The pastor wishes to urge all of his people and friends to make Sunday a rally day. Begin to get ready now for a great day in the Sunday school, Epworth League, and young people's societies.

And then let us come together in prayer and thanksgiving at the preaching services.

Revival services at night. Good music.

J. H. BALL, Pastor.

According to reports a large number of marriages are occurring between the Japanese and Koreans.

## SUNDAY SCHOOLS REPORT GROWTH

Southern Baptists Claim New Increase of Interest in Sunday School Work.

(By the Associated Press)

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 18.—Marked growth was experienced by Southern Baptists in their Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. work during the year just ended, according to the report of the Sunday school board presented to the Southern Baptist convention today by Dr. I. J. Van Ness of Nashville, Tenn., corresponding secretary.

A total of 20,935 local Sunday schools with a combined enrollment of 2,220,035 pupils were shown on the report. The number of Baptist Young People's Union local organizations was given as 13,980 with a membership of 483,166. There has been a gain in the year of 3,300 unions and 167,434 members.

One of the prominent features of the board's field work during the year was its rural campaign for the development of Sunday schools and B. Y. P. U.'s in seventeen states of the convention's territory upon which \$32,810.71, supplemented by the various state boards, was expended. It was stated that fully half of the constituency of Southern Baptist Sunday schools is in schools of less than 200 enrollment.

The architectural department of the board assisted 790 churches in the preparation of plans for new church building, while the educational department awarded 16,997

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## Dry Forces Take New Hopes With Laws in Germany

(By the Associated Press)

BERLIN, May 18.—Two important developments in Germany have brought joy to the "dry" workers' camp. The Reichstag has adopted a law prohibiting the production and sale of absinthe, and measures have been inaugurated to restrict the public advertisement of alcoholic beverages.

The state railways have announced they will receive no more such advertising after May 1, and Berlin's municipal railways have been directed hereafter to accept ad-

vertisements for liquor interests only on the same terms and to the same extent as they take them for other firms.

Steady nerves depend on the condition of your blood

YOU know that! You also know that your loved ones' sympathy and comfort will not correct the cause. Neither can impoverished blood rebuild the body. But you can remedy this condition by restoring your blood to its normal state. Remember, your blood flows through your body—when you are awake and when you are asleep. It's the great body agent which makes life. And when there's life—there's happiness. Stronger and more useful nerves depend on blood-power.

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Mr. W. T. Hooker, 2331 Proctor Street, Port Arthur, Texas, writes: "I suffered from Eczema for seven years and was afflicted with nervousness. I tried S. S. S. and six bottles cured me. I now enjoy good health. I think S. S. S. the only cure for blood disorders on the market."

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## BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

IN HIM WE LIVE.—That they should seek the Lord,  
For in him we live, and move, and have our being.—Acts 17.

## IT MAKES A DIFFERENCE.

Boston has always been looked upon as the home of friends of the negro and from that place have many outbursts of indignation over the grievous wrongs perpetrated on the unhappy colored man by the tyrannical white taskmaster of the South. This probably had some bearing on the exodus of negroes from the South to the North which has been taking place for sometime. At any rate Bostonians, some of them at least, have undergone a change of heart.

The News is in receipt of a communication from some agency in that city expressing grave concern for both the South and the negro if the movement continues. It says that the South will be badly handicapped from this loss of laborers and that the negro will become a distributing factor in labor circles in the North.

He urges that the movement be stopped.

Well, times have changed. Evidently some of those who shed crocodile tears over the wrongs of the negro while he was in the South consider that distance lends enchantment to the view. This circular letter indicates they want no closer contact with him than in the past, and that the negro who expects a welcoming hand when he emigrates to the North will be somewhat disappointed. Perhaps it would be well for all concerned and bring about a better understanding all the way around if the colored population were scattered more. The North would have a better idea of the South's position and the negro would likewise learn first hand what Northern sentiment really is when in actual contact with those who have known the negro only through prejudiced sources. At all events, this is a free country and if the negro thinks he can do better in the North than in the South, it is his privilege to go.

## CHINA STILL LIVES.

Chinese civilization is many centuries old than that of western nations; in fact China was just about as advanced in the days of King Tut as she is today. China has been the object of attack and conquest for many centuries. She has had all sorts of ups and downs, her government has been woefully inefficient, but still she survives. Just what has held the nation together is beyond the conception of a foreigner but the nation still stands. At present civil war is doing considerable damage and banditry appears to be somewhat worse than usual, but having withstood so much in the past it is a safe bet that she will emerge in time from her present difficulties.

In recent years the western world has rather dreaded the time when China, following the lead of Japan, should take up western methods. With enormous natural resources untouched and a teeming population China was looked on as a mighty giant did not know his own strength. The problem has been to figure out what might happen should the giant finally wake up and bestir himself.

Generally legislators are free in voting appropriations, but when it comes to voting taxes to meet these expenditures they shy off. They know that taxes are unpopular and hesitate to subject themselves to criticism and perhaps defeat by adding to the taxes. The last legislature of Oklahoma is a shining example of this kind and now Texas is in the same fix. When the regular session adjourned the governor figured that within two years the state would be some six or seven millions behind, so he at once called a special session to provide ways and means of meeting this deficit. The legislature adjourned after a session of an hour. The governor soon called another special session and it failed to do anything beyond wrangling. Now he has called a third session and will endeavor to put something through that will raise enough revenue to meet the appropriations made at the regular session. Like Oklahoma legislators, they are keen for the dance but hate to pay the fiddler.

The Oklahoma Leader makes no pretense of being anything other than a dyed-in-the-wool socialist sheet, but it is trying its best to run the Democratic party of the state, especially the state administration. Most of the socialists having voted the Democratic ticket last year the Leader feels that as their representative it is in a position to run the whole show and is not slow about telling the administration where it wants it to head in as though the socialist party had taken over the Democratic party as a sort of annex or tail to the socialist kite.

Whatever the merits of the charges against the management of the training school at Pauls Valley, Mrs. Bassett does not appear to be easily frightened. She met the threat of the superintendent to drag her into court to prove her charges with defiance and then expressed herself farther by predicting that Governor Walton's committee would attempt to whitewash the matter. Perhaps the public will learn the truth from some one of the various sources before the affair is over.

## WATCH 'EM, ALLY—HE PACKS A POWERFUL RIGHT!



## The Forum of the Press

Playing to the Galleries.  
(Farm and Ranch)

It is regretted that some of the members of the Texas Legislature have misjudged and underrated the intelligence of their constituents and their capacity to think for themselves. It is even more regrettable that in their efforts to win applause from the galleries, some of these men descended to campaign methods even to the extent of exaggerating and misrepresenting the situation. The attempt of certain members to array city and country against each other during the discussion of tax measures should put these members back into private life never again to assume the role of legislator, statesman or law maker. On the eve of the greatest development Texas has ever known, there ought to be team work and co-operation. Every citizen of Texas, whether he live in the country or in the city, is interested in legislation that will build up our educational institutions and our industries. The average citizen is for a tax program which will evenly distribute the cost of government according to ability to pay. Notwithstanding this almost universal sentiment the program to bring about an equalization of the burden of government, resulted in bitter denunciation of prominent citizens and institutions; unfair and unverified statements regarding the motives of individuals and corporations, and even threats to boycott Texas cities because certain interests protested against various forms of proposed taxation.

Early in the general session a delegation representing a large number of Dallas citizens journeyed to Austin to protest certain proposed legislation. As sovereign citizens they had a right to do this. They went down on a night train and rode in an ordinary Pullman car. A member of the Legislature professed to be very indignant that citizens should have the nerve to visit their capital city to confer with legislators, and he immediately rebuffed this delegation a bunch of millionaires riding to Austin in a million dollar special to influence the Legislature. What he is reported to have said was not true, and if he did not know it at the time, he could have easily ascertained the facts. This was only one of the incidents of like character which developed during the general session. "Grandstanding" is common practice among those who would assume the role of friend and protector of the common people, and who have neither ability nor capacity to perform this service in a statesmanlike manner.

There are no common people in Texas. Some are more prosperous than others, but each citizen is as important in his position in life as any other, providing he is true to state and community. All Texans are proud of our virile, ambitious and growing cities. All are equally mindful of the fact that cities and industrial centers are dependent upon the country for their prosperity, and that on the other hand the country can not well get along without the cities. There are good and bad people in both country and cities. Tax dodgers are found in both places. So are honest people. Why, then, should it be deemed expedient to array one against the other? The man who descends to such a practice is either ignorant or else he fails to measure up to good citizenship. In either case he is not qualified to hold public office or other position of responsibility.

## Effort Made To Bring Better Homes To U.S. With National Drive

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, May 18.—There are two sides to a ten dollar bill. One side is the effort that goes to earn it; the other is the care and intelligence which go to the spending of it. One side is the man's contribution, the other side is the woman's. The whole question of wages is affected by the home-maker's ability to get value for her money.

In such manner Secretary of Labor Davis sets forth the significance of the Better Homes in America. Other members are Vice-president Coolidge, Secretaries Hoover and Wallace and Mrs. T. C. Winter, president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

"The campaign is a woman's campaign," says Secretary Davis. "They are taking stock of themselves to see how they fill their side of the bill; they are taking inventory of home values to determine on standards."

"The best American wage earners know that the pay check at the end of the week belongs to the family. They know also that a forty-five dollar a week wages does not do as well in some families as a thirty-five dollar a week wage does in others."

"The demonstration houses prepared for Better Homes week in June are concrete educational means of emphasizing the importance of home-making, and the increasing necessity of thorough study of its technique. In the homes is the nation, in the homes is the basis of the best patriotism."

"There is nothing better we can do than make a thorough, manlike study of the things that make for a better home, with architecture, builders, interior decorators, students, musicians, educators and spiritual advisors joining in a definition of home."

The Better Homes campaign began last year in a comparatively small way. The result of the first effort is shown in the preparations this year of many communities to have demonstration homes during the campaign week in June, according to those interested in the movement. Many of these have been started by chambers of commerce.



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is within a short distance of the White House. Ultimately it will be moved to a permanent location where it will be maintained as a better homes demonstration.

## CONVENTION TO DISCUSS LUTHERAN CHURCH UNION

(By the Associated Press)  
ST. PAUL, May 17.—Ranking as the outstanding Norwegian church convention of the country, the triennial gathering of the Norwegian Lutheran Church of America will be held here June 7 to 15, with the local committee planning for 10,000 visitors.

One of the important issues to come before the convention is the proposed union of the church with three other Lutheran churches—the Lutheran Free church, the Icelandic Lutheran Synod, and the United Danish Lutheran church. Missions from China, India, Africa and Madagascar will address the convention.

ENID.—Public balloting thru local newspapers under the auspices of the Kiwanis club, has resulted in the choice of the most courteous firm in the city, the most courteous person, the most courteous high school student and the most courteous student at Phillips university here. Prizes were awarded at a meeting of the club. The balloting was a feature of "courtesy week," fostered by the Kiwanis.

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"My present health is good. Have two boxes of Black-Draught in the house now."

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FOR RENT—Furnished room and garage. 316 S. Rennie. 5-16-21\*

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment 230 East 14th. Phone 612-J. 5-18-21\*

FOR RENT—Unfurnished apartment, vacant the first. Phone 582-J. Knott's apartment. 5-18-21\*

FOR RENT—Six room modern house, near parking. J. P. McKeel. 5-17-21\*

FOR RENT—Modern room, reasonable and close in. Phone 88. 5-16-21\*

FOR RENT—Nice south bed room. Telephone 922-J. 123 West 13th. Call Miss Myrtle House. 5-16-21\*

FOR RENT—My home at 409 West 7th; new modern house, with concrete cellar. See me at home. A. T. McAnally. 5-16-21\*

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FOR SALE—Tegenberg milk goats. O. E. Parker. 5-13-21\*

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FOR SALE—100 12 weeks old white Leghorn pullets, full blood, bred to lay. Alfred Vaden, 512 N. Mississippi. 5-17-21\*

FOR SALE—Ford touring car in good condition; 1921 model; with starter complete. Write Arthur Cravens, Konawa. 5-16-21\*

BABY CHICKS FOR SALE—Barron Rocks 15 cents, Ducklings 25 cents, Bantams 10 cents, hatching Saturday. Phone 9527-F5. 5-18-21\*

FOR SALE—35 acre crop, corn and cotton, 11 head red hogs, 2 milch cows, farm tools, chickens. Will consider car in trade. Write J. R. Watson, General Delivery, Vanoss, Okla. 5-18-21\*

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## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—My home on 17th street, 2 six-room house corner 8th and Francis, one lot east 10th street, one east 14th. Reason selling, am leaving town, also roller top desk. Phone 373. J. D. Lasater. 5-17-21\*

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FOR SALE—My beautiful home on East Main St., one of the best in Ada, fruit trees, fine garden and garage, will sell furnished if desired. Also one on East 14th street, modern, with garage. Call at 728 East Main for terms. No phone calls. 5-15-21\*

## WANTED

WANTED—Sewing—Mrs. W. S. Wade, Phone 972. 5-2-1m\*

WANTED—Two or three milk cows, phone 9505-F3. Joe M. Smith. 5-16-21\*

WANTED—Hats cleaned and re-blocked. Miller Bros. Cleaners, Phone 422. 5-11-1m\*

WANTED—Your mattress work; cotton or feathers. Phone 170. Ada Mattress Factory, 400 East Twelfth. 5-17-21\*

WANTED—Rags, rags, rags at Ada News office 5c per pound. 4-11-21\*

WANTED—Furnished house for summer, four or more rooms, a drive. Mr. Dowell care of Ada News. 5-18-21\*

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## MARKET REPORT

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New York Cotton.

Open High Low Close

July 25.10 25.68 24.96 25.27

Oct. 22.00 22.31 22.03 22.97

Dec. 22.50 22.80 22.50 22.58

New York Spots 27c.

New Orleans Cotton.

Open High Low Close

July 25.16 25.75 25.10 25.45

Oct. 22.35 22.75 22.25 22.46

Dec. 22.10 22.35 22.01 22.09

New Orleans Spots 26.25.

Chicago Grain.

Open High Low Close

May 1.192 1.203 1.18 1.18

July 1.172 1.183 1.16 1.164

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## AHLOSO

There weren't very many at singing Saturday night but there was good singing.

Miss Annie and Charley Slinger spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Thompson.

Mr. Carmichael and Mr. Len Williams and Sam Robertson went fishing Saturday night but didn't have much luck.

Mrs. Moore visited Mrs. Carmichael Sunday.

Wilma Jeter and her little sister of Union Valley spent Saturday night and Sunday with Ruby and Ethel Owens.

Pearl and Gladys Thogmartin, Daisy Hamby and Oleta Moore took dinner with Hazel Carmichael Sunday.

Earl West went to Hartford Ark. Saturday on account of his brother being very ill.

Mrs. Carmichael and daughters Mac and Hazel and Gladys Brandon and little daughter Helen and Alden Winters took supper with Mr. and Mrs. Son of the Union Valley community Thursday night.

Pearlue Thogmartin was visiting in the Stratford community the last week end.

Several from this community attended the program at Union Valley last Thursday night.

Gladys and Sam Brandon and little daughter Helen visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Carmichael Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night.

There was a hail storm at this place Friday night but it didn't damage anything very badly.

Curtis Byrd was in Stone wall Saturday.

Leon Williams and family and Lee Constock and wife went to Union Valley Sunday afternoon.

Leonard Byford of near Ada was in this community Sunday.

Anvil Stout was in Ada Saturday night.

A BLUE-EYED BABY DOLL

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our most sincere thanks for the beautiful floral offerings sent by the history class, Forum society, friends from Ada and the sophomore class from the Teachers' College, as well as the many kind words and deeds from so many other friends during the illness and death of our father, A. J. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Roper, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar E. Harris, G. R. Harris, Mrs. Mildred Campbell, Mrs. Bertie Langston.

Exchange Welcomes Woman

THE HAGUE, May 18.—For the first time a woman has appeared on the floor of the Amsterdam Stock Exchange. She is Miss H. W. Deterding, representing an Amsterdam firm of stock brokers. When she made her initial appearance the members of the exchange gave three cheers and presented her with a huge bouquet.

## CABBAGE AND SAUSAGES

WOMAN'S DIET

"I have doctored with the best doctors in the United States. Some said one thing and some another was ailing me and all wanted to cut me open, but May's Wonderful remedy saved me, so now I eat cabbage, sausage and anything I want to. Nothing hurts me." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Gwin & Mays and druggists everywhere. adv.

PAWHUSKA.—A budget of \$4,377 is the goal in a drive for funds for the local use of the Salvation army by a committee of 19 citizens led by J. D. Mitchell, chairman. The drive will begin May 15, it has been announced, and it is hoped by officials that the full amount can be obtained in one day.

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I. O. O. F.—Ada lodge No. 146, regular meeting every Thursday. Beg. Gaddis, N. G.; H. C. Evans, Sec'y.

Ada Chapter No. 78 O. E. S. meets second and fourth Thursday nights in each month.—Margaret Crawford, W. M.; Cora H. McKeel, secretary.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Magnolia Lodge No. 145, meets every Tuesday night. Visiting knights cordially invited.—C. C. Cluck, Chancellor; Commander; U. D. Williams, K. R. S.

K. T. M.—Ada Commandery No. 26, Knights Templar Masons, meets the third Friday night of each month.—J. C. DEAYER, E. C.; F. C. SIMS, Secretary.

A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting of Ada Lodge No. 119, Monday night on or before the full moon in each month.—M. O. Matthews, W. M.; F. C. Sims, secretary.

R. A. M.—Ada Chapter No. 26, Royal Arch Masons, meets the second Tuesday night in each month.—W. P. LEE, High Priest; F. C. SIMS, Secretary.

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DOINGS OF THE VAN LOONS—Goodness, what a lovely, lovely father has in this racket!



### England to Build Two Super-Power Airplanes for Use

(By the Associated Press)  
LONDON—Great Britain is building a super-airplane of 600 horsepower which will attempt to break the world's speed record this summer. It will be capable of a speed of 50 miles an hour, and will take part in the Aerial Derby and the race around Britain for the King's Cup. Later it will go to France and contend for the Gordon Bennett Cup. It will be christened Mars XIV.

At the same time British designers are completing one of the latest flying boats in the world. It is fitted with four engines of a combined horsepower of 2,800. The new flying-boat has a hull of triple thickness and is capable of cruising as a surface craft for long distances.

The Japanese government authorized subsidies amounting to 6,545,827 yen, or \$3,272,913, to ships under the Mikado's flag for the year beginning April 1.

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## BROWN TELLS OF FOREIGN ACTION

Head of Foreign Missions in Presbyterian Church Makes Report.

(By the Associated Press)  
Indianapolis, May 19.—Dr. Arthur J. Brown, of New York, secretary of the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions, today reported to the Presbyterian General Assembly as Chairman of the Presbyterian commission in co-operation with the World Alliance for international friendship through the churches. His report reads in part:

"The present program of the American branch of the World Alliance is as follows: 'The time has come when America cannot be justified to her own conscience or in the sight of God, if having seen the world lying stricken, wounded and half dead she passes by on the other side and longer holds aloof from full co-operation in the burdens, problems and life of other nations.' The religious people of America, irrespective of denominational and political differences, should unite in the following course:

"To endorse the informal co-operation which our government is now giving to the humanitarian and other technical organizations which are being efficiently managed by the League of Nations; and to urge upon the president and the senate the importance of making this informal co-operation formal by the nomination and confirmation of delegates to these organizations which are carrying the world war.

"To urge the government to take immediate steps to bring the United States into real relationship with the other nations of the world, either through the League of Nations or through some effective form of association.

"To commend cordially the proposed participation of the United States in the Permanent Court of International Justice, as recommended by President Harding in his message to Congress, February 24.

A girl usually attains her full height at the age of 13, and her full weight at the age of 20.

## WOMAN WINS SEVEN DIPLOMAS FROM BIBLE INSTITUTE



Mrs. O. T. Graham.

Mrs. O. T. Graham is founder and teacher of the largest correspondence Moody Institute bible class in the world. She started the class thirteen years ago with nine members and the class has grown to 180 with an average attendance of 125. Mrs. Gray has been awarded seven diplomas in bible study. For eleven seasons Mrs. Graham was coached in bible and parliamentary law by the famous General Henry M. Roberts, author of "Roberts Rules of Order."

## TOURISTS DISCOVER CHARMS IN BRAZIL

RIO DE JANEIRO, May 18.—Never in any previous year has Rio de Janeiro had as many North American visitors as in the last six months. In addition to full passenger lists on the regular steamers from New York, there have been several special tourist steamers in port.

In previous years almost all North Americans coming to Brazil were on business missions, whereas this year the majority have been sightseers. Visitors of this kind from other countries are extremely few compared to the North Americans.

The centennial exposition, which undoubtedly was the magnet attracting the tourists, has occupied but little of their time. After a few hurried visits to the exposition grounds, the visitors have given their attention to the city's many other attractions. Judging from their conversations while here, in the years to follow there will be many North American tourists in Brazil who previously had spent their leisure time in Europe.

Although the state of siege, originally decreed at the time of the military revolt last July, is still in effect, there is nothing to indicate this fact to the visitor, and he goes on his way without interference of any kind unless one of his cablegrams happens to be held up by the censor.

## COOPER ADJUDGED POPULAR HONORS

Ada Fighter Loses Referees Decision but is Picked By Fans.

Archie Cooper, the pride of the Ada ring, while losing the decision in his match with Yelnie Hendricks last night at Oklahoma City, gained the popular support of the fans. It was intimated in Daily Oklahoman's sport columns.

Oklahoman sport writers and what seemed to be popular sentiment accredited Cooper with a majority of the rounds, with Cooper taking the short end of the punches in the final round only.

Cooper, long heralded as one of the best men in this section of the state, has been anxious to get recognition in the state ring and his showing with Hendricks leaves a popular demand in Oklahoma City for his style of fighting.

Cooper has fought some of the best in this section of the state, taking all comers to face him and leaving the ring in every instance with his record unblemished by opposition.

A. R. Dixon, Cooper's manager, and Claude Sparks, his sparring partner, were at the ringside and served at his chair.

Following is the comment of Daily Oklahoman:

While fairly fast for heavyweights the big bout did not pull 'em out of their chairs as did the riotous semi-final, in which Archie Cooper, a brainy middleweight of Ada, came near annihilating Yelnie Hendricks, Oklahoma University hero and star athlete, only to be declared the loser. Many thought the decision should have been reversed.

Cooper, the Ada Adonis, started right off the first round out-thumping Yelnie Hendricks. The latter persisted in leading with his right and had many, many muffs chalked against him, for Cooper was proving his matter at boxing. For three rounds only Hendricks used both hands, while Cooper was depending on his left solely. But in a lively mix up in the fourth Cooper cracked over his right and speared Yelnie squarely on his snipe. Then for the remainder of that round and all through the fifth, Cooper dropped most of the gloves in Oklahoma City upon Yelnie's classic features. When the bell clanged for the end of the fifth, it looked like Hendricks had passed from the picture. But beginning the sixth and last round Yelnie leaped forward with a fighting smile and swept Cooper by the ferocity of his attack until Archie's underpinning was buckling under him.



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## IRON ORE SHIPMENT MAY BREAK RECORDS

(By the Associated Press)  
DULUTH, May 18.—Encouraged by reports from the lower lake smelters that iron ore is being melted on a larger scale than had been anticipated, controllers of the Lake Superior mining district and its kindred industries are looking forward to a season of new records.

Everything depends upon the demand for ore from the Lake Erie ports, but with the dock store diminishing sharply under the heavy consumption at the smelters, district operators are confident of a rushing business.

Experts who last winter estimated the output for the district at between 55,000,000 and 60,000,000 tons have raised their maximum estimates 5,000,000 tons. In case this latter figure is reached there will be a new record for annual shipments from the Lake Superior mines.

With the Lake Superior docks already piling up with cargoes for the freighters, experts assert there is sufficient equipment and manpower available to force the movement past the 64,000,000 ton record mark set in 1916.

New ships have been added to the Great Lakes fleet, increasing the seaboard capacity several million tons.

Operators are reported to be hiring all available laborers for work in the huge open-pit mines which supply most of the ore.

## MAIN STREET —BY— V. L. E.

At first we began to wonder what they said in the House of David—now we are wondering what they didn't do.

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Slim Thompson says its better to start small and then grow big than to start with a bang and then flop.

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Since they have been trying to resurrect the long deceased John Barleycorn in New York, we have been wondering if tomb disturbers were not just as anxious to find King Tut's cellar.

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The poor don't envy the rich man, who doesn't have a score of cars and a spendthrift son.

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Slim Thompson again, come to the front with the bold announcement that matrimony isn't like cooking and that young husbands are tender until kept in hot water.

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Hey! Fellows. Girls are not wearing a stitch this year. Now, don't get excited, it only means that clothes will be draped and tied this year instead of stitched.

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When a man begins to pick up nails around the house, he is either going to buy a new car or turn the infant son loose.

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Eve knew better than try tempting Adam with anything she had cooked.

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An honest hen goes on laying the foundation for the family while some indolent rooster is off on a fence crowing about it.

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Many a married woman often wonders why any vamp should pick out her husband.

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There was a run on one of the banks on Main street yesterday and Burk's sold another pair of hose.



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## A DELIGHTFUL COMEDY

### Marion Davies Has Fine Vehicle in "Adam and Eva"

Proving itself everywhere to be of the best pictures produced in many months, "Adam and Eva," a Cosmopolitan-Paramount production starring Marion Davies will be shown at the McSwain Theatre Friday. "Adam and Eva" is a light comedy and affords Miss Davies a charming role.

In the picture, James King, Miss Davies' father, despairs of successfully managing his unruly daughter. He lets a young man-of-the-times take charge of the situation. The latter in a surprising short length of time brings the girls to their senses and wins for himself Eva.

T. Roy Barnes, who will be remembered for his splendid work in "The Old Homestead," plays the part of Adam. Robert G. Vignola directed the picture, which was adapted from the play by Guy Bolton and George Middleton.

Paderewski has seven parrots and a big white cockatoo in his home.

Read all the ads all the time.

## 14,000,000 War Medals

LONDON.—More than 14,000,000 medals have been awarded by the British government to men and women who served the country with distinction during the Great War. The total length of ribbons on these medals would extend 1,800 miles.

Among the decorations awarded are 360,000 1914 Stars, 145,000 clasps to the 1914 Star, 1,780,000 1914-15 Stars, 4,700,000 British War Medals, and 2,550,000 Victory Medals.

Huge quantities of medals were sent to Canada and the Dominion to soldiers and nurses who distinguished themselves.

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